

WEATHER FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Moderate to fresh southerly winds; mostly fair; not much change in temperature; unsettled toward night.
Vancouver and Vicinity—Moderate southerly winds; mostly cloudy and moderately warm; becoming unsettled at night.

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HAVANA CONFERENCE AGREES ON DEFENCE AND ECONOMIC PLAN

Twenty-One American Republics Have Programme Ready for Formal Adoption—Is Designed to Discourage Foreign Powers Attempting to Gain Control in Western Hemisphere

HAVANA, July 27 (AP).—The twenty-one American republics were in agreement through their Foreign Ministers tonight on a broad defence and economic plan which an authoritative source described as effective enough both to surprise and discourage any foreign powers casting covetous eyes upon this hemisphere.

The programme, embracing the main objectives of the United States, awaited formal adoption before adjournment of the conference next Tuesday, but committee approval was said to insure its success with the same solidarity marking previous Pan-American gatherings.

This was accomplished through adjustment of differing viewpoints in committee without materially changing any of the proposals brought here from Washington by Secretary of State Cordell Hull.

GRATIFIED WITH ACTION

After long hours spent in patient persuasion and argument in a hot hotel room overlooking the sea, Hull was represented as being gratified with the action decided upon.

He was said to feel that any aggressive-minded powers that hoped and worked for failure of the conference would be shocked and discouraged by the unity and determination shown by the American republics in taking steps to carry out their professions of solidarity and purpose.

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AIM TO BLOCK WAR SUPPLIES

Japanese Active in Land and Sea Operations Along Chinese Coast

HONGKONG, July 27 (AP).—Japanese bluejackets, operating under cover of a bombardment from warships, landed today in Honghai Bay, Chinese territory, seventy miles northeast of this British Crown colony, Japanese navy officials announced.

This landing followed earlier mining of coastal waters, bombardments and troop landings along the Chinese coast south from Shanghai for the announced purpose of blocking all potential avenues of supply of war materials for China.

The Japanese previously had landed in Bias Bay, which lies between Hongkong and Houghai Bay. At the same time, Japanese army officials announced their units, meeting little opposition, had pushed northwestward in Chinese territory along the border of French Indo-China in further efforts to close that route of supply.

Informal sources said Japanese army reinforcements last night were landed at the mouth of Pearl River to strengthen the garrison near the Hongkong border, which three days ago beat off a strong Chinese attack.

Non-Violence Principle to Be Abandoned

POONA, India, July 27 (CP).—The All-India Congress party committee today ratified by a 91-63 vote a decision of the working committee to abandon the creed of non-violence as far as external aggression and internal disorder are concerned.

The vote means that the Congress (Nationalist) party will not oppose an increase in India's armed forces. It represents a defeat for Mohandas K. Gandhi, who upholds the non-violence creed without exceptions.

Ask 400 Women To Keep a Secret

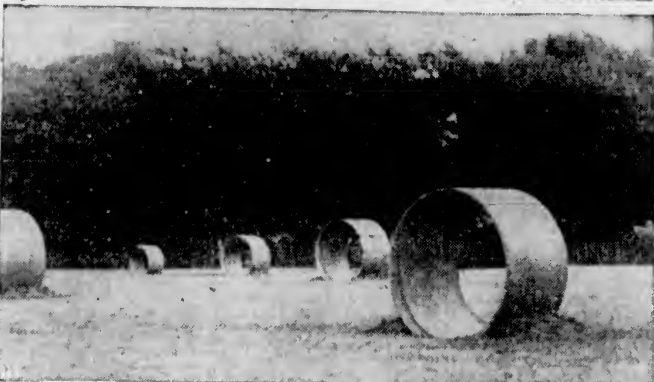
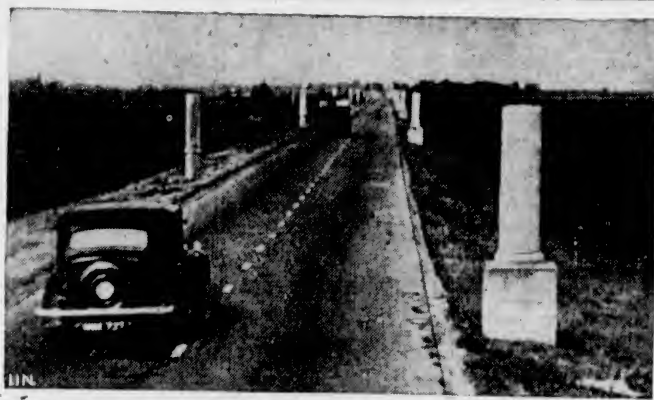
SYDNEY, Australia, July 27 (CP).—More than 400 women students of the university will help to make a "secret war weapon" devised by a Sydney professor.

"At a meeting the women were asked not to tell anybody what the secret weapon was. Although the women will begin work on the weapon now, it will not be completed for some time.

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If Germans Land Planes in England



Here Is How England Has Prepared to Prevent German Airplane Landings. One Picture Shows the Huge Concrete Pillars Set on the Sides of Roads to Prevent Planes From Landing. The Other Shows Concrete Culvert Sections Making a Likely Landing Field Useless.

Output of Planes In Canada to Be Trebled in Year

Dominion to Be Making Full Requirements of Flying Boats, Bombers and Fighters Within Twelve Months—Government Prepares to Report on War Effort to Parliament

(Special to The Colonist)

OTTAWA, July 27.—Within the next twelve months, Canada's production of warplanes will be trebled, it was learned officially tonight. Within a year the Dominion will be making in its own plants sufficient flying boats, long-range bombers and fighters to adequately defend this country against any attack that could be brought against it, in the opinion of experts.

This is one main development of the new plan of closest co-ordination developed between Great Britain, Canada and the United States announced by Munitions and Supply Minister Howie. With mass production of training planes and some types of bombers effected for the first time in the Dominion within the past month, the triple production of warplanes project includes mass production of fighting planes and bombers in Canada, starting in the immediate future. On Monday, Mr. Howie is expected to give Parliament further details of the mass production of the three countries in manufacture of service planes.

Over the week-end, intensive preparations are being made by the Government to lay its cards on the table in the first full-scale debate on what Canada has done and will do in the war effort. Government spokesmen said tonight that it will be a comprehensive and illuminating picture, painting into insignificant any discussion which has been heard on the floor of Parliament since 6 o'clock (C.S.T.).

Total of \$32,443 Is Raised Here in Air Supremacy Drive

Drive for Funds to Purchase Aircraft for Patricia Bay Station Officially Closed Last Night—Day's Takings Total \$2,650

VICTORIA'S Air Supremacy Campaign closed last night with a total of \$32,443.68 in the coffers for the purchase of service aircraft suitable for use by Royal Canadian Air Force squadrons stationed at Patricia Bay.

The money, now in the city treasury, will be turned over to the Receiver-General for Canada. It is sufficient for the purchase of nine airplanes.

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SEVEN CARS IN ROAD COLLISION

Skid Causes Death of One Man and Injury to Five Others

ENUMCLAW, July 27 (AP).—George W. French, thirty, was killed, and five other persons were injured in a collision on a slippery stretch of the Naches Pass Highway four miles east of Enumclaw.

State Patrolman Pete Gray said the pile-up began when a machine driven by Gerald B. Tully, Seattle, skidded on Ingalls Hill and crashed into a guard rail.

A machine driven by George S. Lavender, of Bridgeport, Wash., crashed into the Tully auto, and a machine driven by Henry A. Schultz, Yakima, struck them both. French's auto careened into the mass of wreckage and turned over twice. Three other machines struck the pile-up before flames could be placed to warn approaching motorists.

The injured included Lavender, who was treated for nose and arm cuts; Mrs. George French, Seattle, shock and possible internal injuries; Mrs. Hilda Marshall, Seattle, in a critical condition with head injuries; Miss Allene Brown, Detroit, Mich., fractured ankle, and Mrs. Anna Peterson, Port Orchard, bruises and shock.

All of the seriously injured were treated in Seattle hospitals.

Japanese Want Australian Trade

CANBERRA, Australia, July 27 (CP).—To provide freight space to enable Australia to ship primary produce abroad during the war, Japanese interests have made an offer to the Commonwealth to build ships on a barter payment basis.

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COURAGE IS RECOGNIZED

Creek in Pine River Area to Be Named After Gallant Young Briton

Perpetuating "the courage of a young Briton, John Noel Patch Bennett, 'Oakdene,' Manor Road, Coventry, England, the Provincial Department of Lands will apply to the Geographic Board of Canada shortly to give his name to a creek flowing into the Great Pine River. Behind the application is a tale of quiet courage, leading to a tragic and lonely death in the northern wilds of the province in mid-Winter, after privation, exposure and frost-bite had won a grim tussle in the snow.

In search of adventure, John Bennett set out from Pouce Coupe in the Spring or Summer of 1939 to make his way overland to Port McLeod. He got as far as the Muelchinkina River when a succession of storms and bad weather forced him back. His food exhausted and his strength fast ebbing. By a trail of notes left in trappers' cabins along the way, his route was traced, and his body found next Summer, in June, 1931, after persistent search.

SEVEN BROTHERS JOIN

MELBOURNE, Australia, July 27 (CP).—George Kyneton, who enlisted in Melbourne, was the last of seven brothers to join up. Their father was killed in the last war, in which two of the brothers also fought.

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ONE KILLED WHEN CAR IS WRECKED

Three Others Seriously Injured by Crash Into Pole on Interior Highway

ENDERBY, B.C., July 27 (CP).—A young Vancouver man, Stanley Anderson, was killed and four residents of nearby Mara were injured, three seriously, early today when the car in which they were returning from a dance at Canoe, B.C., struck a power line pole on the Salmon Arm-Endersby highway.

Seriously injured were Mrs. Thelma Triggs, nineteen; Oily Wiltala, twenty-seven, and Hannes Poppin, Philip Wiltala, eighteen, driver of the car, was less seriously injured. The accident occurred when the car failed to negotiate a turn on the highway as the party returned to Mara and crashed into the pole at the foot of a long hill a few miles north of Endersby.

ROYAL AIR FORCE RANGES FAR TO SMITE ITS SMASHING BLOWS

From Europe Day by Day—THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province.

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LONDON, July 27 (By Cable).—German plans for a temporary settlement of the claims of Hungary, Bulgaria and Rumania are believed to be the concession of some territory by Rumania to her neighbors and then the promotion of some sort of alliance between the three countries under German leadership.

Rumania is falling more and more into Hitler's hands and King Carol has virtually thrown himself on the German dictator's mercy. Already the Rumanian Government has renounced the Anglo-French guarantee of security, expelled British citizens who helped build up the Rumanian oil industry, detained British vessels on the Danube and seized an Anglo-Dutch oil company.

But these facts, says The Times' diplomatic correspondent, may not save Rumania from having to make territorial concessions to Bulgaria and Hungary.

The British Government for years past has agreed that Bulgaria has claims to Southern Dobruja on the Black Sea.

Though a Rumanian statement denies any intention of ceding territory, Hitler will persist and will thus accentuate the rivalry between Germany and Soviet Russia for influence in the lower Balkans. The Axis powers are evidently aiming at the isolation of Yugoslavia, which is now seeking to cultivate trade and diplomatic relations with Moscow.

German propaganda alleges that Churchill ordered the sinking of the French steamer Meknes in which nine officers and 374 sailors were drowned. Actually the British Government notified the Ruman Government of the ship's sailing, and every precaution was taken to show the ship was French and non-combatant.

The Italians are firing on their own aircraft and alleging that British machines have made an attack on Rome.

At Venice recently Italians brought down some of their own airplanes. Earlier at Turin officers of an anti-aircraft battery were shot for failing to fire at what were believed to be enemy aircraft.

The German occupation of Norway and Denmark has brought ruin to Scandinavia. Foodstuffs are ruthlessly confiscated, worthless paper money is issued in exchange for other products, and crops and factories in Norway particularly have been damaged.

Finland, Norway, Sweden and Denmark have lost the most profitable part of their foreign trade.

The setting up of a provisional Czech Government under Dr. Benes in Britain has infuriated the Nazis, who warn the Czechs in Bohemia that President Hacha is their only legal governor and Bohemia and Moravia must act in conjunction with "victorious Germany."

Nazi Raiders Show Healthy Regard for Defences of Britain

Eyewitness Describes Air Attack on England—Watches Anti-Aircraft Guns and Fighter Planes Give Good Account of Themselves

By VINCENT RHEAN (Revised by North American Newspaper Alliance)

LONDON, July 27.—The Southeast Coast of England, which on Wednesday night passed one of its most quiet nights in several weeks, was the scene of renewed air activity, beginning about noon on Thursday. I was present at two prolonged air attacks from across the English Channel, and the activity was still continuing on resuming.

It is not possible to give the precise results of these engagements because the authorities do not wish to inform the Germans, indirectly, either of their successes or failures. Even so, it certainly can be said that British anti-aircraft guns and fighter planes gave a good account of themselves in that confused and widely-extended melee, which at times seemed to fill the whole sky.

Oil Depots in German-Occupied France Systematically Bombed—Direct Hits Scored on Power Stations in Netherlands—Railways, Waterways and Airdromes Hit With Explosives

Planes Continue to Harass Italian Enemy in Africa

LONDON, July 28 (AP).—Britain's far-ranging bombers struck on Saturday at German shipping in Norwegian waters, following up attacks on Friday on enemy oil reservoirs in occupied France, and on power stations and airdromes in The Netherlands.

While fighter planes beat back three new Nazi forays over the Channel and England, the Air Ministry announced that an aircraft of the Coastal Command successfully bombed an enemy ship off the Norwegian coast. The enemy's crew abandoned their vessel.

The Nazis apparently aimed at targets ashore Saturday, switching from attacks on convoys, and at least two raiders were shot down—raising Britain's three-day bag of Nazi bombers to thirty-one. Apparently no military objective was hit. The raiders ranged from Northwest Scotland to Southern England on Friday night and Saturday, but Royal Air Force planes, guarding the Isles in constant vigil, soared above low-hanging clouds to wheel and dive on the German planes before they could reach important objectives.

Holds Highest Post In Canadian Army



MAJ.-GEN. H. D. G. CREHAN, D.S.O., A.S.T. week was appointed chief of the General Staff, succeeding Major-General T. V. Anderson, D.S.O., who was appointed Inspector-General for Central Canada.

SHAPE PLANS FOR BALKANS

Germany and Italy Expect Danubian Countries to Follow Instructions

BERLIN, July 28 (AP).—An indication that Adolf Hitler told Balkan statesmen he expected them to settle their own differences, but that Germany favored both Bulgarian and modified Hungarian claims on Rumania was given today by the newspaper National Zeitung of Essen.

The Balkan countries, said the newspaper, which is close to No. 2 Nazi, Hermann Wilhelm Goering, must acknowledge the Rome-Berlin Axis' principles for a "new order in Europe."

"Such acknowledgment," it added, "can not be forced or bought, for it is either the basis of the policy or it is not."

IN FAVOR OF REVISION
Germany never has made a secret of the fact "that the Reich viewed with sympathy reasonable demands by Hungary and Bulgaria for revision," the newspaper commented. Rumania, it said, has been manoeuvred into an unnatural role "which it never was in a position to play" and "is also conscious that this policy belongs to the past and must be liquidated."

RUSSIA TO BUILD MANY WARSHIPS

Naval Commissar Says 168 Vessels Being Added to Fleet This Year

MOSEOW, July 27 (AP).—Admiral Nikolai Kuznetsov, commissar of the navy, disclosed tonight that Soviet Russia would add 168 warships to her fleet this year and urged that Russia's naval power be stepped up to parity with the country's army and air strength.

Declaring that "our navy is continually developing and strengthening," Kuznetsov asserted that there is no doubt that the U.S.S.R. is a sea power.

SHIPS OF ALL CLASSES
In 1939, he said, the Russian fleet was increased by 112 ships, large and small torpedo cutters included.

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RUSHING IRON TO ESCAPE DEADLINE

Three Ships Taking Full Loads of Scrap at Portland for Shipment to Japan

PORTLAND, Ore., July 27 (AP).—Three ships rushed scrap iron loading here today to escape the July 31 deadline for free export of the best grade of scrap.

The trio, all loading for Japan, are the Panamanian steamer San Rafael, the American-owned Kentucky, and the Japanese freighter Nansan Maru. Each is taking a full cargo, averaging 8,000 tons.

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Draftees Under Plan Of Conscription Are Not Eligible for Militia

Army Authorities Say Confusion Exists as to the Method of Filling Militia Units—Only Men Who Volunteer Will Be Included

WHEN Canada's conscription policy is brought into effect, conscripted men will not be drafted to Non-Permanent Active Militia units now in existence or to be mobilized later. On the other hand, men who join militia units before conscription is enforced will not be subject to draft.

Military authorities made these points clear yesterday, in a statement issued to remove confusion from the minds of young men still in civilian garb as to the status of the N.P.A.M. units.

"If you volunteer for the militia now, you'll be able to choose your own unit. If you wait for conscription, you'll have to go where you're put," they say in effect.

Service in the N.P.A.M. units is definitely limited to volunteers between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, who will receive camp and evening training for home defence. The militia offers to the citizen an opportunity voluntarily to prepare himself for service to his country, at a time when preparedness is regarded as essential.

CHOICE OF SERVICE

Conscripted men will be trained under an entirely different set-up, details of which have not yet been announced by the Minister of Defence. Ottawa has stated definitely, however, that such draftees will not be posted to N.P.A.M. units, contrary to an impression which appears to be fairly general here. Men subject to call under the conscription plan are being strongly urged, therefore, in their own interests, to volunteer for service in the militia units of their choice.

The N.P.A.M. units, it is emphasized, offer many advantages to the young man who wants to get ahead. In the ranks he will train with experienced soldiers, and will have

every opportunity to qualify for promotion to non-commissioned rank, and ultimately to win a commission. Recruiting for the N.P.A.M. units now mobilizing in Victoria has been rather slow during the past week and military authorities believe this to be due to misunderstandings—one of which is that if a young man joins the militia, he will have to stay with it.

TRANSFER FACILITATED

This is far from being the case, it is pointed out. From the N.P.A.M. it is a simple matter to transfer to or enlist in any unit of the Canadian Active Service Force. Young men who join militia units while awaiting call for the navy or air force will have transfers arranged for them immediately when the call comes.

Four militia units are recruiting in this area. The 3rd Battalion, The Canadian Scottish Regiment; the N.P.A.M. units of the 5th (B.C.) Coast Brigade and the 13th Field Ambulance, and an N.P.A.M. supply column of the 6th Divisional Royal Canadian Army Service Corps. All four units are taking recruits at the Bay Street Armoury between the hours of 9 a.m. and 9 p.m. daily except Sundays.

The first official parade of the 3rd Battalion will be held in the Armoury tomorrow night. It was announced yesterday. During the past three nights, the recruits so far enlisted have held muster parades, reporting for medical inspection and oral instruction. Later, when the unit is fully organized, the training

Joins Canadian Army Service Corps



CONNAUGHT KELWAY

WHO recently joined the Third Divisional Petrol Company, R.C.A.S.C. For the past five years Mr. Kelway has been closely associated with tourist trade development, both on Vancouver Island and in the State of Washington.

During the most active period of this engagement I think there have been more than 100 planes visible from the beach where I was, and no doubt a larger number above the clouds or beyond the horizon on other days.

The losses in planes and boats must be left to official statements. What I can say as a witness is that the Germans showed a healthy caution about both anti-aircraft guns and the British fighters. And it is my impression that the British gave blow for blow at least as good as they received.

NAZI RAIDERS RESPECT DEFENCES

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The great chalk cliffs themselves seem to face the invader with superb confidence over the Channel water, and all the arms of the service are represented in the activity which opposes that from across the sea.

Wednesday was a day of rain and fog and mist, and Wednesday night was heavy with clouds and insured one night of uninterrupted sleep for the defenders. The first alarms did not begin until early morning; it was an almost unprecedented lull down there for some weeks.

I visited my battery and was promised action by a young officer in charge.

"This is the right kind of a day for it," he said.

The sky had that bright, diffused glare, which comes when the sun shines through sea mist. Apparently the Germans now prefer such days. In Spain they liked clear, sunny days, or moonlit nights. But Spain they had little opposition in the air. Here in England they are very partial to clouds so long as they are not too dense, and they especially like the diffused glare, which enables us to float in directly from the sky.

SPELL OF PANDEMONIUM

The serious attack began about noon. Five Heinkel bombers accompanied by a large number of Messerschmitts in various parts of the sky, made for that part of the coast where I was. They flew high and took more altitude rapidly after they had discharged their burden. We had the usual five minutes of pandemonium from bombs and anti-aircraft guns before the explosions slackened off.

The British fighters—Spitfires, I think—swarmed up from behind us and engaged the guardian Messerschmitts in various corners of the sky while the bombers headed back to France.

The fights continued for some time, all up and down the coast and out at sea. The British and German planes, like small game birds in the glaring white sky, got a line on each other and made their swift cross-passes, undoubtedly letting loose plenty of machine gun fire. This, however, is not always audible from the ground.

One thing was of interest and curiosity to everybody on the waterfront, including quite a few civilians. That useful article of headgear called a tin hat was worn by civilians, but otherwise the embattled sky might have been something seen in motion pictures, presenting no danger to those on the ground.

Again, as two years ago in Spain, children obviously enjoy these spectacles and can think of no greater excitement than counting the airplanes out loud.

IN EXPOSED POSITION

This attack came while I was some distance away from my battery; and as I was without a tin hat I did not roll the idea of going down that long, bare water-front, until the firing had died down. When I did get to the battery I found the officers and men wrinking their foreheads while calculating what they had hit and how well they had done. This battery is in a very exposed position, but always so busy during action that the men have little time to consider the danger.

When the skies were swept clean again the men got the order to take a rest; then the inevitable soldiers' jokes and laughs and requests for cigarettes plainly showed their relief from the tension.

When the engagement ended the sky was covered here and there with long, plume-like trajectories caused by the fighting planes' exhausts. One sight of three Spitfires—I think they were Spitfires—was quite visible and yet traced its course unmistakably in long, feathery, white streaks across the grey, white glare.

SECOND ATTACK BEGINS

At 3 o'clock the second attack began—this time on convoy ships which were going down the Chan-

nel. The planes were Junkers 87s, the redoubtable dive bombers, which can change their course so swiftly. They had a very large escort of Messerschmitts, which were disposed all over the sky, both visible and invisible, above clouds out to sea. Again I was off my base and witnessed the first part of a prolonged raid and battle from behind a mobile battery at the other end of the beach.

This action was much more severe than the preceding one and lasted much longer. It is genuinely terrifying to see the black Junkers dive precipitously, straight through the clouds like a hawk diving for a fish. It bombs and rises again in the same steep swiftness, vanishes behind the horizon and reappears without apparent formation or relation with others of the same breed. Guns roared all along the cliffs during the high point of this action.

BATTLES ON ALL SIDES

"My battery," as I had learned to call it, put out a barrage over the convoy and probably prevented any diving on certain lengths of sea. Meanwhile, the Spitfires had swarmed up from the hinterland, and before long there were battles going on wherever you looked on land or over the sea.

During the most active period of this engagement I think there have been more than 100 planes visible from the beach where I was, and no doubt a larger number above the clouds or beyond the horizon on other days.

COURAGE IS RECOGNIZED

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talled list of a few simple stores, including moose meat, flour and a little salt, which Bennett had used while resting for two nights in the Horn cabin; with his name and Coventry address, and the notation of where application could be made for payment for the stores if he did not turn up.

MISFORTUNES ADDED

Two other notes, in keeping with the last, were found in other cabins, one in Ted Strand's cabin on Callan Creek, where Bennett recorded his horse had fallen into the river, and he had spent two days in drying out his clothes; and the other in Frenchman's cabin, two miles down the Pine River from Canyon Creek, where he had run into torrential rain and lost the trail. Though he was alone in a strange country, and up against physical setbacks which would have daunted experienced woodsmen, Bennett preserved a cheerful spirit, even with death staring him in the face. The last note, written with frost-bitten fingers, was typical of them all.

The body was found after the snow melted in the Summer of 1931, by Kelly Sunderman and Ted Strand, who had been twice over the trail in their previous searches. The remains lay beside a pack-sack, in which identifying letters were found on the banks of Tillikum Creek. The body was taken to Prince George, where a full report on the case was made by Inspector W. Spiller, of the Provincial Police.

In a few weeks' time, when formal consent has been secured at Ottawa, one of the creeks flowing into the great Pine River will be named "John Bennett Creek," in memory of a young Briton, who knew how to die, but who had never learned how to whine. In the records of the North, John Bennett Creek will stand for a brand of quiet courage that woodsmen know, and that Canadians everywhere, from Halifax to Victoria, will recognize and admire.

ROYAL AIR FORCE MEN RANGE FAR

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of forays against German military targets, the Air Ministry said "the chief objectives were five refineries and depots at Nantes, and three separate installations at St. Nazaire, with a total storage capacity of 142,000 tons."

Each, it said, was "systematically bombed for over an hour" and "tons of high explosive and several hundreds of small incendiary bombs were dropped."

At St. Nazaire, the ministry reported, the "British flyers scored 'repeated hits' which were followed 'by explosions and clouds of black smoke.'"

CONTINUOUS SMASHING

Thus R.A.F. bombers continued at their work of smashing at air-dromes, waterways and railway concentrations, in a continuing effort to cripple the bases and communications, which Germany must keep in

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Portugal Happy and Prosperous in Spite Of Warring Europe

British Journalist Finds Many Paradoxes in Country Teeming With Refugees and Tourists Attending Beautiful National Exhibition

This description of life in refugeecrowded Portugal was written by a prominent British journalist who was formerly first secretary of the British Embassy in Paris. When the Germans invaded France he left Paris and spent some time in Portugal on his way to join the British Expeditionary Force.

By PHILIP CARR
(Released by North American Newspaper Alliance)

LISBON, Portugal (By Air Mail).—Although bitterly ironic contrasts are to be found at this moment all over Europe, there is perhaps no place which is so paradoxically full of them as Portugal.

Lisbon is packed with visitors. Many of these visitors are refugees from France—French and English and American, Polish and Dutch and Belgian, Jew and Gentile—waiting and scheming to obtain, first the permission and then the transport to reach their own country or any country that will take them.

WHEN MONEY MEANS LITTLE. They are not a beggarly horde of refugees. Most of them a few weeks ago, would have been considered well-to-do. A large proportion have arrived in their own motor cars. But all of them, in leaving France, crossing Spain and entering Portugal, have accomplished an odyssey which has impressed upon

and its problems the only things in which the Portuguese are taking an interest.

PEACE AND PLENTY

Here is the great paradox. While Europe is sinking in terms of war and restrictions and sacrifice, Portugal is thinking in terms of peace and prosperity and plenty. At least half the occupants of the Lisbon hotels are tourists from other parts of Portugal, from the Portuguese colonies and from Brazil—whose inhabitants are Portuguese in race and language—tourists come to visit the remarkably beautiful National Exhibition of this year.

The exhibition has been organized to commemorate the eighth centenary of the foundation of Portugal as a kingdom, and the whole of Portugal is gay with bunting in conjunction with it. From almost every window in every street flutters a flag in the sea breeze which relieves the heat of the banks of the Tagus. All the houses seem to have been freshly painted for the occasion.

The policemen have new helmets, which are like the helmets of the London police, but do not quite suggest the London police, for the Portuguese are generally a little less formal and show grey cotton uniforms under their long blue overcoats.

The prominent places in the daily papers are taken, not by war news, but by accounts of some ceremony or other in connection with the exhibition, the inauguration of a new pavilion, the opening of a congress, the performance of a new musical work, and so forth.

AIR OF PROSPERITY

The exhibition is indeed something more than a reminder of Portugal's glorious past. It is an expression of her satisfaction in her very comfortable present. You are conscious of this feeling not only in Lisbon, but all over the country. There is an air not of riches, but of modest and yet very contented prosperity.

One expression of this modest prosperity is that the people seem to have enough to eat. There is ample food, and everyone eats amply. Indeed, rather too amply, say some Portuguese doctors. The food is as good in quality as it is abundant in quantity. The bread is white and deliciously baked, in pleasant contrast with the grey and heavy compound with which the Spaniards have to be content.

The fish, delivered every morning in Lisbon from the boats to the door by fishermen carrying their large flat baskets on their heads, is superior in freshness and in variety to what can be obtained in any other capital in Europe. The meat, especially the beef, is excellent in tenderness and flavor. Butter is not a first necessity in a country which chiefly uses olive oil, but it can easily be obtained. There is fruit in plenty.

And yet Portugal is not really rich, and the life of the great majority of the Portuguese people is extremely modest. But they are industrious, their tastes are simple, their temperaments are happy and contented, and their climate is delightful. They might perhaps be richer if they were heavily industrialized, but the fact that they are not has enabled them to maintain the agricultural and maritime character which has not changed for centuries, and to keep alive many traditions and much regional individuality, which are admirably illustrated in the exhibition.

ARTISTIC ORIGINALITY

There is hardly a thing in the architecture or the decoration which does not show artistic originality and simple taste. Prominence is given to local craftsmanship, local costume, local background. There are charming reproductions of old village streets and houses and of the fishing boats, which still follow their ancient and picturesque form and color. Sea-consciousness is expressed again and again in the same spirit as the "Mau Mau" architecture of the sixteenth century.

And yet what most of all impresses the visitor who arrives from the horrors of the European cauldron is not so much Lisbon and the exhibition itself, but the freshness and simplicity and gaiety of the local festivities in the smaller towns. On a recent Sunday, I attended one of these festivities in the little town of Tomar, which I knew already because its circular thirteenth-century church monastery is one of the purest gems of architecture in the world. The streets were decorated not only with flags, but with embroidered silk bawls and broadened bedspreads hung out of every window.

PROCESSIONAL OFFERING

The official party was greeted by a salvo of rockets—the Portuguese, who are a childlike people, take a joy in daylight fireworks. The festival consisted of a procession of offering of meat and wine and bread to the poor. Oxen, with horns gilt and festooned with flowers, represented the meat. They would be killed tomorrow. The wine, in large barrels, was on wagons to which the oxen were harnessed.

The characteristic and beautiful part of the whole thing was, however, the offering of bread. Two by two, walked three hundred young women, dressed completely in white, each accompanied by a young man in his best clothes, and each carrying, balanced upon her head, a sort of tower, at least three feet high, constructed of sticks driven through loaves of bread and adorned with colored flowers, sometimes real, but in most cases of paper. At the top of this tower was a symbolic dove, also in most cases of paper, but real in one or two.

This procession passed through all the streets of the sunlit town, to the immense joy and pride of the whole population, who cheered and set off more fireworks.

Nobody seemed to think of other explanations, not so many hundreds of miles away.

BEST RECIPE WINS PRIZE

Awards for Best Salad Recipe Submitted to Macdonald Electric Ltd.

Housewives of Greater Victoria will have the opportunity to show their culinary skill during the coming week. An interesting competition has been arranged by the Macdonald Electric Limited in conjunction with the "Salad Celebrity Week," commencing Monday, July 29, and sponsored by the nationally known makers of Best Foods Products.

The competition arranged by Macdonald Electric is one which is bound to have wide appeal. Prizes are offered for the two best salad recipes submitted before 5 p.m., Saturday, August 3. These recipes must call for the use of Vancouver Island produce and should require a real mayonnaise dressing. A special display of packed hampers, featuring Best Food Products, will be made in the windows of Macdonald Electric, to which store all entries must be sent.

THE JUDGES

The entries will be judged by Mrs. M. A. Foulds, home service director, and Miss C. Martin, home economics instructor.

In speaking of this competition and "Salad Celebrity Week," Mrs. Foulds was emphatic in her endorsement of the movement. "From the point of view of health," she said, "doctors and dietitians recommend salads throughout the year and especially for the summer months. During the warm weather it is not necessary to refuse your system with heavy meals, light nourishing meals are far more healthful. Salads contain all the vitamins, proteins, carbohydrates, calcium, etc., so vitally needed without adding extra calories. From an economic point of view, it must be borne in mind that consumption of Vancouver Island grown produce is a move toward community spending which has the effect of supporting the farmer, the local merchant and in the long run pays dividends to the individual."

SENT TO JAIL FOR PREJUDICIAL TALK

CHEMAMUS, July 27.—Earle Devlin, innkeeper of Chemamus, was sentenced to six months in jail today in Provincial Police court on a charge of making statements prejudicial to recruiting. Superintendent Magistrate G. A. Tieson heard the case and Arthur Leighton, Nanaimo, conducted the prosecution. The accused conducted his own defence.

AMBULANCES PROVIDED

LONDON, July 26 (CP).—Canadian Red Cross headquarters in London today received a cable that 130 ambulances are being provided from contributions of villages, towns and voluntary organizations in the Dominion. The British Broadcasting Corporation reported. They are being shipped as quickly as possible.

Will Act as Judge in Competition



MRS. M. A. FOULDS

HOME service director, who will act, in conjunction with Miss C. Martin, in judging the entries in salad recipe competition sponsored by Macdonald Electric Ltd.

ANTI-VIVISECTION MEETING IS HELD

At the monthly board meeting of the Canadian Anti-Vivisection Society, Victoria, deep regret was expressed at the passing of well-known supporters of the cause, Rt. Hon. Sir Ralph Paget, P.C., K.C.M.G., C.M.G., C.V.O., a holder of many political and diplomatic positions, and Horace Newton, Victoria. G. B. Kitch presided.

A letter from headquarters of the World Day for Animals celebration, London, whose president is Lady Clare Annesley, asked that this celebration should be observed as usual. Opportunities to aid war activities, on behalf of animals in Great Britain and elsewhere, were considered.

In accordance with a request made by members of the British House of Commons that children evacuated to Canada should not be vaccinated or inoculated, the meeting was informed that neither vaccination nor inoculation was compulsory for any children residing in or entering Canada, and it was resolved that children should not be vaccinated or inoculated without the written consent of parents, and that copies of the resolution should be sent to the proper authorities.

LEAVES ON TOUR

VANCOUVER, July 27 (CP).—R. L. Maitland, K.C., leader of the Opposition party in the Provincial Legislature, left here last night on a speaking tour of the Northern ridings. He will go to various cities, including Prince Rupert, Stewart, Ansox and Alice Arm.

CURFEW FOR DEFENCE

LONDON, July 27 (CP).—A curfew from one hour after sunset to one hour before sunrise was imposed as a defence regulation on Britain's east coastal area today. It already is barred to all civilians except permanent residents.

SPORTSMEN TO SECURE LEAVE

Visiting Hunters Will Be Helped With Plans, if Notice Given Ahead

Conditions under which tourists may enter Canada for the hunting season were set out yesterday by the Provincial Travel Bureau, following advice from Ottawa. Non-resident hunters, it is now provided, may enter Canada if they will notify the commissioner of customs or the commissioner of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Ottawa, stating their plans and identifying themselves.

Permits covering the hunting trip will be issued and mailed to the customs point of entry, to await the arrival of the visitors there. Hunting weapons and sufficient ammunition for normal hunting purposes will be admitted under these safeguards, and with a minimum of delay if previous notification is supplied.

Federal and Provincial officials were anxious to make these requirements known, so that no unnecessary block would occur to prevent the normal enjoyment of hunting parties who visit Canada each Fall for big game and other sport in the field.

Five Chemainus Chinese Injured

CHEMAINUS, July 27.—Five Chinese were injured, four of whom are in the Chemainus hospital, when a car driven by G. W. Donahoe, Chemainus, collided with a C.P.R. extra gang handcar yesterday morning at Chemainus River crossing. The driver of the car received minor scratches.

Obituary

STARK.—There passed away on Friday evening, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, James Stark, aged seventy years, residing at the Devonshire House, Fort Street. Mr. Stark was born in England, but had been a resident of this city for the past ten years. He went from Victoria with the Pioneer Battalion in 1916 to the Gre. War, serving in France. Mr. Stark was a member of the Britannia Branch, B.E.L. The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

ROSS.—Mrs. Elizabeth Annie Ross, a resident of Nelson, B.C., for forty years before coming to this city three months ago, died Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. G. E. Keatley, 2233 Victor Street, aged sixty-eight years. She was born in North Keppel, Ont., and was the widow of Hugh H. Ross, Nelson. Mrs. Ross took a keen interest in community welfare and was a life member of the British Columbia Trustees' Federation. She was also a member of the Presbyterian Church, of the Nelson Women's Institute, and a charter member of Nelson Temple No. 10, Pythian Sisters. She leaves three daughters, Mrs. E. Glover, 915 Darwin Road, Victoria, Mrs. Keatley, Victoria, and Mrs. E. L. Bedford, Victoria.

LOSE MUCH TIMBER

MANCHESTER (CP).—Thousands of feet of timber, very valuable this wartime in Britain, were destroyed by fire. Two hundred firemen narrowly escaped death in crash of four cranes.

LIGHT THAT DIDN'T FAIL

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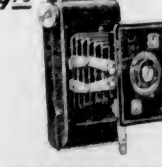
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NOTED ENGINEER DIES IN ENGLAND

NEW YORK, July 27 (AP)—John Michael Callow, seventy-three, internationally known mining engineer and metallurgist, died today in his home at Redhill, Surrey, England, according to a cable received here by friends.

Born in England, he came to the United States in 1880, and soon was operating mines and mills in San Juan County, Colorado. Originating the pneumatic flotation process in treating ores, he was granted eighteen patents. In 1912 he designed and built the plant of the National Copper Company, in Mullan, Idaho. He was president and

manager of General Engineering Company, of New York.

VANCOUVER, July 27 (AP)—James McGinnis, fifty-year-old trapper, sentenced to be hanged on August 15 for the murder of Henry T. Williams, was granted a reprieve to September 17 by Chief Justice Morrison today, pending the hearing of his appeal by the Court of Appeal at Victoria, September 10.

Williams, University of Toronto graduate in engineering, was shot to death in an isolated cabin of the Upper Clearwater Valley on April 30. The accused claimed he shot in self-defence.

McGinnis, who is appealing in person, was convicted of the murder at a trial held in Kamloops on May 29.

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Peter Hartnell Is Ordered to Serve Three Months

FOR making statements likely to be prejudicial to the efficient prosecution of the war, Peter George Hartnell was sentenced to serve three months in prison, by Magistrate Henry C. Hall, in the city police court, yesterday morning. J. G. Rutan appeared for the accused in the absence of J. B. Clearhue, K.C. Hartnell had nothing to say before sentence was imposed.

SLOOP GROUNDS IN HEAVY FOG

Five Aboard Navita Escape
Injury When Wrecked
In Puget Sound

SEATTLE, July 27 (AP)—Claire L. Elfvig, chairman of the board of directors of the Boeing Airplane Company, and four other persons escaped without injury today when Elfvig's sixty-two-foot sloop, the Navita, went aground on Whale Rocks between San Juan and Lopez Islands in Puget Sound.

The Navita struck in the thick fog, stove a hole in her bottom and partially filled. Mr. and Mrs. Elfvig, Miss Jerry Matthews, seventeen, Washington, D.C., Benjamin C. Seaborn, twenty-seven, Seattle, and M. L. Matson, attendant on the boat, were removed from the wrecked yacht by a passing motorboat.

ON WAY TO KNIGHT INLET
The accident occurred at 2:30 a.m. while the party was en route to Knight Inlet, British Columbia, from Seattle. They left Seattle yesterday.

Elfvig said a private salvage tug had been summoned to attempt to tow the Navita to port. Coast guardsmen summoned to the scene in a cutter said damage to the yacht could not be estimated until she is drydocked.

AGREES ON DEFENCE AND ECONOMIC PLAN

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At the same time the conference was said by an authoritative spokesman to have shown an awakening of the republicans from their complacency and belief that the mere assertion of neutrality was sufficient to deter foreign conquerors.

THREE-FOLD RESULTS
The concrete results of the conference, as agreed upon by committee, were three-fold:

1. A declaration that the status of European possessions in this hemisphere is of equal concern to all the American republics and creation of machinery under which any of them might be taken over and administered temporarily to safeguard continental security.

2. Establishment of the framework of a broad economic plan for immediate relief of countries burdened with exports shut off from European markets and development of an independent American system strong enough to prevent foreign customers from forcing unfair trade terms or practices upon individual countries.

SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES

3. Agreement on close consultation among the republics on any "fifth column" activities endangering individual governments or the continent as a whole, and investigation of the reported abuse of immunity and privileges by some foreign diplomatic and consular agents.

The formula for dealing with the European possessions was said to be substantially the same as the "collective trusteeship" plan sponsored by the United States, but the word "administration" was understood to have been substituted for "trusteeship."

Announcements

Superfluous hair, moles, birth marks, etc., removed by Electrolysis. Miss Hanman, specialist, London, England, over twenty-five years practical experience. Recommended by the medical profession, positive cure guaranteed, call for booklet. Phone G 7642, 503 Scollard Building.

Women's Canadian Club in charge of tea for Red Cross at Government House garden party on Wednesday, July 31. Any member desiring to give cake or sandwiches or money kindly phone E 2327 or E 2062.

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Veteran Piper Applauded



—Photo by Staff Photographer.

WEARING the Grant tartan and a string of war medals, William Grant, veteran Scottish piper from Winnipeg, was among the much-noticed figures at the third annual Highland gathering at MacDonald Park yesterday, particularly when he took the platform to compete in the senior piping contest. Born in Scotland, Mr. Grant learned the pipes from his father, and has been playing them in contests since 1880. He won his first competition at Queen's Ferry, Scotland, in 1891.

City and District

Bush Fire—A bush fire on Murray Road was attended by the Saanich Fire Department at 4:10 p.m. yesterday. No damage was reported.

Stool Bottles—Three boys stealing sacks of bottles from the Silver Spring Brewery yard escaped with their loot at 11:45 o'clock yesterday morning after a chase by G. Akerhurst, 411 Mary Street.

To Parade Tuesday—Burnside Volunteer Training Corps will meet for drill on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in Hampton Road Park. Sgt. Major Travis will be in command. All men in this district in any way interested are asked to attend.

Seven Fined—Five motorists were each fined \$250 yesterday in the city police court for parking over the hour limit. Another paid a similar fine for parking in a prohibited area. One was fined \$10 for exceeding the speed limit.

Is Released—An Indian woman aged eighty-five years appeared in the Provincial Police Court on a charge of being intoxicated in a public place, and was released on a suspended sentence yesterday morning.

Horse Injured—A bakery wagon horse driven by Charles Grainger, 433 Moss Street, sustained a cut when at 11:45 o'clock yesterday morning in a collision at South Turner and Niagara Streets with a car in charge of Moon Dal, 817 North Park Street.

Heavy Fine—A man who admitted being intoxicated on Yates Street was fined \$50, or in default ten days in jail, when he appeared in the city police court yesterday. The accused admitted having been previously convicted on a similar charge in June.

"Follow the Birds"—The Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau's "Follow the Birds to Victoria" signboards are not confined to the United States. One of the signs has been placed on the new Big Bend Highway to catch the attention of the thousands of tourists expected to travel westward over the new route.

Sentence Held—Sentence was suspended in the city police court in the case of H. Mercer Morton, who pleaded guilty to a charge of fraudulently converting \$885. Magistrate Henry C. Hall commented that the amount was small, restitution had been made, and the accused had joined the army.

Are Remanded—Charged in the city police court with assaulting.

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Premier Pattullo Says By-Election Set for September

THE Mackenzie by-election, to fill a vacancy in the British Columbia Legislature, will be held in September, at a date to be announced shortly by the Provincial Government. Hon. T. D. Pattullo said yesterday. The seat has been vacant since the death of John M. Bryan, former Liberal Member for the riding. Announcement of the by-election automatically puts an end to talk of a general provincial election this year.

REGISTRATION BILL DRAFTED

United States Makes Ready
To Conscript Men for
One Year's Service

WASHINGTON, July 27 (AP)—The United States Senate military committee made public today its final draft of a bill calling for the registration for military service of all men in the United States between the ages of eighteen and sixty-four.

The measure is scheduled to receive a formal committee vote of approval next Tuesday and to be taken up in the Senate shortly thereafter. Administration authorities have said that if Congress passed the bill in August, they could make the registration in September and begin training the first contingent of 400,000 on October 1.

"Men between the ages of twenty-one and forty-five . . . shall be liable for training and service in the land and naval forces of the United States," the bill says. "Men between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one and between the ages of forty-five and sixty-four . . . shall be liable for training and service in or near the communities and areas in which they reside in such home defence units of the land and naval forces of the United States as are now established or as may hereafter be authorized by Congress."

AGE-GROUP PERCENTAGES

Not more than 87 per cent nor less than 78 per cent of the men selected for training and service would be between twenty-one and thirty-one, not more than 15 per cent nor less than 10 per cent between thirty-one and thirty-eight, and not more than 7 per cent nor less than 3 per cent between thirty-eight and forty-five.

An estimated 42,000,000 men would be subject to registration.

Those chosen for training would serve for twelve months.

Persons exempted from registration would be chiefly those already in the armed services or reserve forces and foreign diplomatic and consular representatives here. Otherwise all males, both citizens and aliens, would be required to register or become subject to a penalty of five years in prison, \$5,000 fine or both.

CAMPAIGN RAISES TOTAL OF \$32,443

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which could not be arranged during the campaign, are to be held during the next two weeks, the proceeds of which will be used to swell the Air Supremacy fund.

MAJOR CONTRIBUTIONS

Following is a list of contributions of \$50 and over received at campaign headquarters yesterday:

Hudson's Bay Company \$1,000
Mrs. Maude D. Bishop, Isabel E. Worthington, W. P. Worthington and J. A. Worthington 500

Clubs and Organizations Committee. Collections at Beacon Hill cheer-up parties 239
Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Barnard 100
Miss L. Angus 100
Mrs. J. O. Cameron 50
Moore & Whittington 50
Anonymous 50

Moore & Whittington's donation did not include proceeds of collection boxes at the company's plant. Other contributions received yesterday included the following: \$25, Lemon & Gonnason, C. S. Walker, Maurice Carmichael, Robinson's Bicycle Shop, \$20, Dr. C. N. Westwood, Mrs. Ross Palmer, \$10, Island Logging Company, Huron & Erie Mortgage Company, Dr. J. Easton, \$10, J. C. Elliott purchased for \$50 two watches given to the committee for sale.

AUCTION SALE

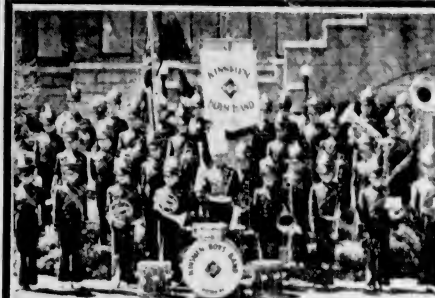
In last night's auction sale, conducted by Nelson Goodwin, during which some articles were auctioned several times over, top prize was given for the attractive Cairn terrier puppy, \$27. The Keenhead (Dutch breed dog) brought \$25, and the Doberman Pinscher, \$10. Other articles sold as follows: Basket of flowers (donated by Brown's Victoria Nurseries), \$13.50; cameo brooch (donated by Mrs. Izard), \$17.50; souvenir mirror from Hull 70, \$4.80.

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Fairbridge School Staff Members Are Married in Chapel

First Marriage Ceremony Takes Place—Miss Catherine Murray Is Bride of Mr. George Warnock—Will Live at Farm School

THE first wedding to take place in the chapel of the Fairbridge Farm School, Cowichan, was that of Catherine MacDougall, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Murray, 1871 St. Ann Street, and Mr. George Crawford Warnock, second son of the late Mr. J. Warnock and Mrs. Warnock, 240 Denison Road, which took place at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The service was conducted by Rev. W. G. Wilson, D.D., formerly of First United Church, Victoria, assisted by Rev. Canon T. M. Hughes, chaplain of Fairbridge, and followed the service of the United Church, to which both bride and groom belong.

Gladiolus was used in decoration of the chapel, and poles tied with white ribbon marked the guest pews. The wedding march was played by Mr. George H. Peaker, and the choir composed of Fairbridge boys and girls, pupils of the bridegroom, in blue cassocks and white surplices, led the singing of the hymn, "O Perfect Love." As the register was being signed, Mr. Dudley Wickett, Victoria, leader of the Meistersingers, of which the groom is a member, sang "O Father, All Creating." Canon Hughes pronounced the blessing.

The bride was given away by her father, and wore a lovely gown of white tulle with a high, ruffled bodice with long sleeves, and a full skirt with a high, ruffled hem. She carried a large bouquet of pink and white flowers. The groom wore a dark suit and a white shirt with a bow tie. The wedding was held in the chapel of the Fairbridge Farm School, Cowichan, B.C.

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An Oak Bay Bridal Couple



MR. AND MRS. EDWARD K. PANGMAN
Photographed as they left St. Mary's Church, Oak Bay, on Friday afternoon following their marriage. Standing immediately behind the bride, who was formerly Miss Lillian Earle, Vancouver, is the groom's sister, Miss Ruth Pangman, and at the right, the bride's sister, Miss Marjorie Earle, who was bridesmaid.

the Willows School staff, and Mr. John Gillat, of the Fairbridge staff, were ushers.

AT THE RECEPTION

The largely-attended reception was held in the school dining hall, decorated under the supervision of Mrs. K. Davidson, during which the bride couple stood under a lustrous archway covered with Summer flowers. Mrs. Murray welcomed the guests in a gown of Queen's blue tulle sheer with a short jacket, and a wide brimmed hat of Summer felt in a darker tone, assisted by Mrs. Warnock in a navy blue matron's gown and a matching hat, and both wore shoulder bouquets of pink roses.

The refreshment table was centered with the wedding cake standing among four pastel shaded tapers. Colonel W. N. Winsby, an old family friend, proposed the toast. Pouring the tea and coffee were Mesdames H. T. Logan, W. N. Winsby, H. A. Beckwith and Miss May Warnock, and assisting them were Misses Jean and "Bobbie" Murray, Isabel Barnes, Margaret Clark, and girls from the Fairbridge School, who wore pastel shaded aprons over their frocks.

Mr. Fred Wright, of the Meistersingers, sang during the reception.

HONEYMOON ON MAINLAND

For a honeymoon on the Mainland, the bride left in a dusky pink frock with a matching toque, a grey fitted coat trimmed with grey fox and grey suede accessories. On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Warnock will reside at Fairbridge Farm School, where Mr. Warnock is a resident master.

Guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey, Mr. Murray Harvey and Miss Mary Brydon, Vancouver, Mrs. J. McChesky, Vernon, and Miss Emily Beattie, Kamloops.

Clubs-Societies

Margaret Rose Lodge
Princess Margaret Rose Juvenile Lodge No. 40, Daughters of England, held a banquet recently in honor of members of the Vancouver Juvenile Lodges, who paid a fraternal visit here. About 150 juveniles, mothers and members of the adult lodges sat down to prettily decorated tables arranged in colors of yellow, green and pink, with pale pink napkins and pastel-shade sweet peas. A meeting was held later, when three new members were initiated. The president, Barbara McVie, was in the chair and welcomed the worthy grand president, Mrs. Lawson, district deputy, Mrs. Bridges, the president of the Vancouver Juvenile Lodge, Joan Foster, and the advisory president, Mrs. Clark; and the president of Princess Alexandra Lodge No. 18, Mrs. Howe. Mrs. Bridges and Barbara McVie were presented with gifts. Arrangements were made to hold a picnic on Friday, August 16, at the Gorge tea garden. Sugar and milk will be provided, under the co-sponsorship of Mrs. Howe, Edna Massam, and Doris Ramsley. Refreshments were served and prizes won by Cathie Skinner and Mrs. Fieldhouse. The banquet was convened by Mrs. D. Bell, assisted by the advisory committee. The next meeting will be

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will be received at the next meeting. Miss Cleo Westrum resigned as secretary, as she is to be married shortly, and her duties will be carried on by Mrs. Douglas Miller. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. A. Knapp, Ruby Road, A. linen shower for Miss Westrum was held after the meeting.

Chemainus Guild

A garden tea held under the auspices of Chemainus Anglican Church Guild was held in the grounds of Mrs. F. Work on Thursday. The tea tables were attractively arranged in the beautiful garden, which was a riot of bloom. Miss Blair, president of the guild, was assisted by the hostess in welcoming the guests. Mrs. C. Vater, tea convener, assisted by the members of the guild, had charge of the tables. Mrs. George Phillips did a brisk business with her fancywork stall. Owing to the threatening weather, this was held indoors, the rooms being arranged with vases of sweet peas.

Daughters of St. George

The regular social meeting of Princess Patricia Lodge No. 238 Daughters of St. George was held recently, with the president, Mrs. Jane, in the chair. After the meeting, cards were played, the prizes being won by Mesdames Carter, Green, Williams, Fairhurst, Sparks and Burke. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Mason and her committee.

Tons of Jam Made By Ontario Women

TORONTO, July 28 (CP).—Seven tons of strawberry jam have been made by members of Ontario's women's institutes for use by the Red Cross overseas. Miss Mary Clarke, superintendent of women's institutes for the Ontario Agriculture Department, announced today.

She said by late Fall 30,000 cans of currant, raspberry, plum, peach and grape jam are expected to be supplied to the Red Cross.

DURBAN (CP).—Among the 32,000 natives of the Tonga, or Friendly Islands, in the Pacific, the equivalent of about \$1,000 has been collected for the British Red Cross.

Victorian Wed in Scotland



MR. AND MRS. WILFRID J. FLACK
Leaving the Gilliland Memorial Church, Dundee, Scotland, after their marriage on June 8 by Rev. Harry Andrews. The bride was Winnifred Mary Booth, Dundee, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Flack, Monterey Avenue, Oak Bay, and is now serving with the Royal Air Force as a leading airman.

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served ice cream and candy to the campers.

FOR BIGGER GAME
MELBOURNE (CP).—Supporters

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PERSONAL ITEMS and SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Grand Dance Arranged to Close School

A grand dance at the Empress Hotel next Friday evening, when staff and students and specially-invited friends will meet in a social way for the last time, will mark the closing of the annual Provincial Summer School of Education, which has been under way at the Victoria High School for the past four weeks.

The extra-curricular events for the 11 o'clock periods this week again offer several attractive things, including a vocal recital by Barbara Cass, lyric soprano, Association of the Royal College of Music, who is to give a programme on Thursday evening. Miss Cass was among the survivors of the St. Athens. She will be accompanied at the piano by Dorothy Morton Gough.

Tomorrow morning the artist will be Inez Lauritano, New York-Italian violinist, winner of the Naumburg Foundation competition, and known to Radio City Music Hall listeners.

On Tuesday the students will hear Rosa Valdez, New York soprano, also familiar to radio audiences and on the concert stage.

Wednesday morning Ernest Lee, who has directed physical education activities at the Summer School for several years, will give a lecture illustrated with motion pictures.

During the week, some time, folk dancing and physical drill exercises will be staged on the campus by members of the physical education classes.

Y.P.S. NEWS

UNITED YOUNG PEOPLE'S UNION

The United Young People's Union has planned a beach party for July 31 at Esquimalt Lagoon. The first United Society will be in charge of a treasure hunt and Metropolitan Society in charge of refreshments. The treasure hunt will start promptly at 8 o'clock, and members are asked to be on time. Information regarding transportation and place of meeting can be obtained from presidents of the societies.

LEADERSHIP TRAINING

The Young People's Union leadership training committee will meet tomorrow at 8 p.m. in the Y.M.C.A. to complete plans for the Fall leadership training school. Leadership training representatives are reminded to send suggestions for a missionary programme and lists of members in each affiliated organization to the committee chairman, Mun Hope.

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Eastern Visitors Holidaying in the City



A party of Montreal visitors photographed at the Empress Hotel where they are staying, include, left to right, Mrs. E. A. Whitley, Miss Mary Fowler, Mrs. T. M. Hutchinson, Mrs. W. A. Fowler, Miss Barbara Whitley and Miss Marjorie Hutchinson. Miss Barbara Whitley has just graduated from McGill, and Miss Hutchinson is still a student there. Among their Victoria friends who entertained in honor of the visitors was Mrs. J. W. Benning, Rockland Avenue, formerly of Montreal.

WEDDINGS

MILLS-JOHNSON

The marriage of Mrs. Ann Johnson and Mr. William Mills took place on July 23 at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. Daniel Walker, 1133 Rockland Avenue.

YATES-SEABORNE

A wedding of interest in Victoria took place at 11:30 a.m. on Friday, July 19, between Phillipa Lisle C. Seaborne, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Seaborne, Courtenay, and Mr. James C. Yates, R.C.S.C., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Yates, Courtenay, and grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Parker, pioneers of Rocky Point, B.C., in St. John's Church. Courtenay, with Rev. F. C. Chapman officiating.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and looked charming in a gown of figured blue triple sheer fashioned in redingote style and a large white hat and white accessories. Her corsage bouquet was pink carnations. She was attended by her sister, Miss Sheila Seaborne, in a figured dusty pink dress, with white sash and shoes. Mr. George Yates, Jr., attended his brother, and the ushers were Mr. P. Tull and Mr. W. Trent.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, "Cottonwoods," where their friends assembled to extend good wishes. The bride and groom stood under a large white bell and streamer, and assisting in receiving were the bride's mother in a navy blue and white crepe dress, and Mrs. G. Yates, the groom's mother, in a dusty rose triple sheer dress. The table was covered with a three-tier wedding cake, which had been decorated by the groom's mother, Mrs. Seaborne, in serving refreshments, and the groom's mother poured tea. Mr. and Mrs. Yates left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver, the bride traveling in a turquoise blue suit with white turban and accessories. They will reside in Victoria at the Calwell Apartments, Cook Street.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Parker, Rocky Point, and Mrs. F. A. Parker, Colwood.

GRIMM-SELF

St. Luke's Church, Cedar Hill, was decorated with delicate shades of gladioli, while posies of sweet peas, snapdragons and gypsophila marked the guest seats. For the wedding of Joan Ellen, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. Self, Sinclair Road, and Mr. Elwood Frederick Grimm, only son of Mr. F. Grimm, Los Angeles, and the late Mrs. Grimm, which was solemnized by Rev. Canon S. B. Ryall at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The organist played the wedding marches and accompanied Miss Elaine Basania, who sang "Ave Maria" during the signing of the register.

An afternoon bolero-style frock in pastel blue crepe with touches of navy was worn by the bride, who was given away by her father. Her

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supper table, which was decorated with vases of carnations and pink roses. Assisting in serving were Mrs. K. Ryan, Mrs. George Pennan and Miss May Medler. Mrs. Douglas welcomed the guests in a beige georgette frock with a white hat and a corsage bouquet of yellow gladioli and heather.

The bride wore a gypsy dress of light grey with navy blue and white Breton sailor hat and white accessories for the honeymoon trip to Vancouver, and upon their return Mr. and Mrs. Gow will make their home here.

Among the lovely gifts received by the young couple was a silver tea service from the hotel staff, of which Mr. and Mrs. Douglas are managers.

SUDLOW-ROSEVEAR

The marriage was quietly solemnized yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the home of the officiating minister, Rev. J. W. Churchill, Hampshire Road, when Joan Walker, only daughter of the late Mr. H. E. Rosevear and Mrs. Rosevear, 1704 St. Ann Street, became the bride of Mr. Victor Sudlow, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Sudlow, Menzies Street.

Given in marriage by the bride's father, an old friend, the bride looked lovely in a princess frock of pastel blue with matching puff-sleeved jacket. She wore a white picture hat, white accessories, and a corsage bouquet of Ophelia roses and white heather. Her only ornament was a small gold pocket. Both the bride and groom were unattended.

After the service a reception for relatives was held in the Rose Room at Terry's. The three-tier wedding cake centered the refreshment table standing between silver vases of pink roses and sweet peas.

Following a honeymoon up-Island, Mr. and Mrs. Grimm will return to Victoria to live. Miss J. Self, aunt of the bride, from Duke, Sask., was present at the wedding.

RYCROFT-FARNSWORTH

Rev. Arthur Biechler solemnized the marriage of Shirley, younger daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Farnsworth, 45 Erie Street, and Mr. Maxwell Albert Rycroft, R.C.A., younger son of Major and Mrs. J. G. Rycroft, 45 Maquinn Street, which took place in St. Paul's Naval and Garrison Church at 8:30 o'clock last evening in a setting of gladioli of lovely shades. The organist was in attendance. The bride was given away by her father and wore a floor-length gown of white satin with a high neckline and long sleeves. Clusters of orange blossoms held her finger-tip veil in place and she carried a bouquet of Columbia roses and white carnations. Miss Dorothy Farnsworth was her sister's bridesmaid in a pretty white dress and hat, and she carried a bouquet of pink roses and carnations. A. G. Ford was best man and the ushers were C. A. Cornfield and F. Poole, all members of the R.C.A.

The reception was held in the Rose Room at Terry's, where the guests were welcomed by Mrs. Farnsworth in a wine frock with black accessories, and by Mrs. Rycroft in a black gown with a beige coat and dusty pink accessories. Baskets of gladioli adorned the room and lighted white tapers in crystal holders and vases of carnations were used in decoration of the supper table, which was centered with the wedding cake. For a honeymoon on the Mainland, the bride left in a navy blue and white ensemble.

Mr. and Mrs. Rycroft will return to Victoria to live.

GOW-DOUGLAS

The marriage of Ada Gertrude ("Tiny"), only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Douglas, Westholme Hotel, and Mr. David Allan Gow, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Gow, Bulyva, Sask., took place at 8 o'clock last evening in First United Church, Rev. Thomas Menzies officiating. The bride was given away by her father, and wore an orchid afternoon frock with a champagne shade polo coat, white accessories, and a corsage bouquet of yellow roses and purple heather. Miss Charmaine Cohen, the bridesmaid, was dressed in navy blue and white, with a shoulder spray of carnations and heather, and Mr. Robert Gow supported his brother.

The reception was held in the apartments of the bride's parents at the hotel, where a profusion of lovely flowers, sent by the bride's grandfather, Mr. E. Foote, from White Rock, B.C., were arranged. A three-tier cake centered the

Prepare for Thousands at Garden Fete

Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, energetic general convenor for the Government House Red Cross garden party, to be held next Wednesday, reports that arrangements are practically complete.

If the generous co-operation and help so far extended by committees, merchants and others is any indication, she says, this "Garden Party of a Thousand Attractions" is going to break all kinds of records and even surprise the most optimistic Red Cross workers.

The hours of the party are from 3 to 8:30 p.m., and tea will be served in the beautiful Governor House grounds from 3:30.

Tickets are now on sale at the following downtown points: Canadian Bank of Commerce, 1022 Government Street; Bank of Montreal, 1225 Douglas Street; Royal Bank, 1108 Government Street; the Empress Hotel; Red Cross offices, 317 Belmont Building; Red Cross Supermarket, 1220 Government Street; the Postoffice; Hudson's Bay Co., and Spencer's.

The modest charge for tickets includes tea and parents are again reminded that children's tickets are half price, as the sponsors want all Victoria to enjoy this big colorful event. There will be all the usual stalls popular on such occasions and several entirely novel ideas never before attempted.

The Victoria Girls' Drill Team, Scotch Lassies' Pipe Band, the Kinman's Boys' Band, under Alfred Prescott, and Miss Wynn Shaw's Hawaiian dancers will be some of the entertainment features. Among the many stalls will be an attractive display of home cooking, and for purchases of these home delights attractive shopping bags will be available.

As already announced, Miss Graeme Fields has kindly consented to be present, and all in all this is a garden party that Victoria will be talking about for many months and one that no Victorian should miss.

ENGAGEMENTS

SMITH-STEWART

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stewart, 1551 Claxthorpe Avenue, announce the engagement of their only daughter Mary, to Mr. John Charles Smith, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Smith, Portland Oregon. The wedding will take place at Oaklands, Gospel Hall on August 21, at 3 p.m.

WILLIAMS-BELL

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Bell, 2695 Delahouse Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter Mary, to Mr. Norman J. Williams, third son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Williams, Edmonton. The wedding will take place on August 24.

WOOD-HUDLIN

The engagement is announced of Mildred, youngest daughter of Mrs. M. Hudlin, 866 North Park Street, and the late Mr. Joseph Hudlin, to Mr. Phillip A. Wood, fourth son of Mrs. C. Wood and the late Mr. Harry Wood, Satspring Island. The wedding will take place in the Autumn.

KEITH-RIDDER Mr. and Mrs. John Ridder announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Margaret Balfour (Peggy), to Mr. John Keith, R.C.N.R. of Dunfermline, Scotland, now stationed at Esquimalt. The wedding will take place on Thursday.

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It is urgently requested that all unsold tickets for the Red Cross gala garden party, at Government House next Wednesday, be returned to Red Cross headquarters, Room 317, Belmont Building, not later than noon Tuesday.

METCHOSIN UNIT

Members of the Metchosin Unit are asked to note that, owing to the Government House garden party next Wednesday the regular meeting will not be held.

CADBORO BAY UNIT

Cadboro Bay Unit will gratefully receive donations of cash or food for the Government House garden party next Wednesday. Donations may be left at the Scout Hall on Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, or will be collected on receipt of a telephone call to G 5866. Mrs. Frank Taylor is convenor.

LAKE HILL UNIT

In aid of the Lake Hill Red Cross unit, a committee of young, Red Cross enthusiasts, with Sylvia Abbott as general convenor, are arranging a children's party Red Cross garden party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Massey, 991 Lodge Avenue, for Wednesday, August 14. There will be games of all kinds and a special prize will be given for the girl with the best doll in the baby show and for the boy with the best hand-made model airplane. There will be candy stalls and various other attractions, and tea will be served from 3 to 6 o'clock. Those who are organizing the event hope to raise a substantial sum for the Red Cross.

OAK BAY UNIT

Donations of cash or candy for the home-made candy stall to be held by the Oak Bay Red Cross Unit at the gala garden party at Government House on Wednesday, may be left at the Oak Bay headquarters, in the old Oak Bay High School, tomorrow afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock. Members of the unit have been busy getting in touch with persons who are noted for their home-made candy, with the result that a good deal has been promised. As it is hoped to collect about 600 pounds, anyone who knows how to make sweets is asked to assist in providing candy for the stall.

SCHEDULE REVISED

In view of the present situation overseas, writes Mrs. Wallace Campbell, of the National Women's War Work Committee of the Canadian Red Cross, "and of the uncertainty with regard to what will be the most urgent needs to be covered by the whole Red Cross programme in the

immediate future, and in order to carry on this department with the greatest efficiency and economy, it is again necessary to revise our schedule of work."

She continues, "The urgent appeal for supplies, issued May 23, has been met. Our warehouses in England are replenished with tremendous quantities of supplies and more are en route. We have only to plan for assistance to Great Britain, since nothing can be sent to Europe at the moment, and for our responsibilities to our own troops here and abroad."

Mrs. Campbell suggests this is the opportune time to slow down, so that many things long delayed can be accomplished, and that other duties can be cleared away, in preparation for the Autumn, and recommends that all workers arrange a holiday, however brief.

In accordance with these instructions, local headquarters suggests that all units observe a holiday from August 1 to August 14, inclusive. Should an emergency arise during this period, notification will be sent to all conveners of units. The discussion will remain open for stocktaking purposes only and it is requested that no examples of articles be returned during this time.

Headquarters office, 317 Belmont Building, will remain open as usual.

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I.O.D.E. Activities

GILLESPIE CHAPTER

The monthly meeting of the Major John Heblen Gillespie Chapter will be held at the home of Mrs. Denis Hearn on Monday, August 5, at 8:15 p.m. instead of on Monday, July 29.

Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter

The knitting meeting of the Dr. O. M. Jones Chapter will be held on Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Sydney Barker, Searcroft Apartments, Oak Bay.

Douglas Chapter

The regular meeting of the Sir James and Lady Douglas Chapter will be held on Thursday, at 2:30 p.m. at headquarters.

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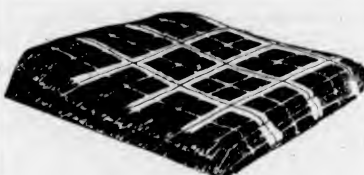
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DEFENCE PROBLEM TO BE DISCUSSED

City Council to Deal With Motion
Of Alderman Davis Thanking
Attorney-General

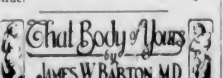
A motion thanking Hon. Gordon
S. Wismer, K.C., Attorney-General,
for his action in drafting plans for
the internal security of British Co-
lumbia will be introduced by Alder-
man W. H. Davies when the City
Council meets at 3 o'clock tomor-
row afternoon.
Alderman Davies will also move

that the proposals be heartily en-
dorsed, that the Federal Govern-
ment be urged to send a repre-
sentative here to discuss home de-
fence problems, and that copies of
the resolution be sent to all mu-
nicipalities, the Minister of Defence
and chairman of the House com-
mittee.

In dealing with other business,
the council will consider reports of
the parks and lands committee, and
a complaint from the Burnside
Parent-Teacher Association in re-
gard to a nuisance caused by snot
in the district.

Discussion will be held on an ap-
plication of the Vancouver Island
Outboard Motor Association for
permission to use Elk Lake for a
regatta on Labor Day.

Attention will be given to a re-
quest from the Victoria Automobile
Club that discretion be used in tak-
ing disciplinary action before 8
o'clock in the morning and after 5
o'clock in the afternoon in the
fifteen-mile zone on Pandora Av-
enue.



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A SLOW EMPTYING GALL BLADDER
CAN MAKE YOU FEEL BLUE
Some years ago I wrote an article
for a popular magazine on "the or-
gan that makes you a quitter." I
was referring to the liver because,
without doubt, it is the king of the

organs from the standpoint of the
amount and different kinds of work
done. A liver that is sluggish or
slow in its work of filtering poisons
from the blood, manufacturing bile
(Nature's purgative), or storing up
energy in the form of sugar in its
cells, can slow up and throw out of
gear all the other processes of the
body.

This sluggishness of the liver due
to lack of exercise or overeating of
rich foods can affect the activity of
the gall bladder so that it will be
slow in emptying itself of its thick
bile. This slowness in emptying not
only causes uneasiness in the region
of the stomach and abdomen, but
is a big factor in causing gas pres-
sure, nausea and sometimes vom-
iting. Bile not only picks up into

the stomach but may get into the
blood to such an extent that the
individual gets a yellow appearance
and one who usually has plenty of
courage may become "yellow" in his
outlook on life generally. Constant
anxiety or worry can stop or slow
up the working of the organs of di-
gestion—stomach, liver, gall bladder
and intestine. A stone—gall stone—
often prevents the proper emptying
of the gall bladder.

It is known that practically two
of every forty have some slight or
severe disturbance in liver and gall
bladder. Most of us do not know
there is any disturbance present be-
cause a little distress after a heavy
meal, or a little gulping up of air
or gas is so common. For una-

reason all that is necessary for most
of us is a little more exercise and a
little less fat food to prevent symp-
toms. However, some fat food should
be eaten every day as fat in small
quantities empties the gall bladder.
When the stomach and abdominal
symptoms are severe, physicians now
advise various tests to find if the
liver is filtering out poisons or harm-
ful wastes at the proper rate, and
to find if the gall bladder empties
itself as rapidly as it should.

If a patient whose gall bladder is
shown by X-ray to be well filled, is
given fat in the form of egg yolks
and cream, the gall bladder should
empty itself in from thirty to ninety
minutes. A slow emptying gall
bladder may take twice this time.
The thought then is that if you

feel blue at times, seem to lack
your usual courage, have an uneas-
iness in the abdomen, and bring up
a lot of gas, it would be time and
money well spent to consult your
physician about having a dye and
X-ray examination of the gall
bladder.

KILL OFF LAYING HENS
AMSTERDAM, July 27 (AP).—
Twelve million laying hens, or about
two-thirds of The Netherlands'
stock, will be slaughtered before
September 15 because of a shortage
of chicken feed, it was announced
today.



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CHALLEDON RACES TO FINE VICTORY IN \$50,000

Riggs Sensational In Tennis Victory Over Frank Kovacs

National Champion Turns in Brilliant Display After Dropping First Two Sets to Capture 2-6, 0-6, 6-3, 11-9, 10-8 Decision at Seabright—Other Finals Are Set for Today

SEABRIGHT, N.J., July 27 (AP).—Forced to use every shot in his bag and to spend his every ounce of courage, National Champion Bobby Riggs battled uphill for three and a half hours today before he could defeat Frank Kovacs, of California, in one of the most brilliant final round matches of the fifty-three-year-old Seabright lawn tennis tournament.

Riggs, by his resourceful shotmaking and refusal to accept defeat, finally prevailed by 2-6, 0-6, 6-3, 11-9, 10-8.

Four times during the match, Kovacs was one point removed from victory only to have the rampaging Riggs pull the game out.

When the marathon ended with darkness settling over the court, a sell-out gallery stood and cheered while Bobby received the famous Seabright Bowl from Holcomb Ward, president of the U.S.L.T.A.

Not since 1923, when W. M. (Little Bill) Johnston won the tourney for the third time, has a Seabright Bowl been retired. Bobby won twice before, but never after such a titanic struggle.

While Riggs' display of valor was great, so too was Kovacs' spirit.

Such retrieving as Bobby accomplished in the two final sets would have brought despair to many other opponents.

Repeatedly, when the hard-hitting Californian slashed a diagonal depth drive across court, Riggs raced into position to turn it back a winner of his own.

With speed and placements, the unranked Kovacs stroked his way to a two-set lead. It wasn't until his rangy foe had established this big advantage that Riggs buckled down, quit fencing and played his best tennis.

National Champions Alice Marble and Sarah Palfrey won the women's doubles championship defeating Mary Arnold and Dorothy May Bundy, of California, 5-7, 6-4, 7-5.

Concentrating fire on Miss Palfrey, who in the first set was badly off her game, the losers made a desperate attempt to upset the champions. But as the match progressed, Miss Palfrey settled down and provided needed support for her partner and the margin of victory.

Finals in the women's singles and men's doubles will be played tomorrow.

Miss N. Rice-Jones vs. Miss Hemmingson.
3:00—Miss C. Young vs. Miss P. Penock.
4:00—J. Trace vs. R. Shanks; R. Jackson vs. A. Lockley.
5:00—E. Keyes vs. Parsons or Wells.

Champions in two divisions will be crowned today on the courts of the Hillcrest Club in the Esquimalt tennis championship tournament, which has been in progress for the past week.

Mrs. Alan LeMarquand will clash with Miss "Biddy" Boyce in the women's singles final this afternoon, while the men's doubles titleholders will be named later in the day.

O. Hagyard, Norm McConnell and E. Harbison moved to the next round of the men's singles. The former eliminated Ivan Temple after a hard-fought three-set match, while Harbison took an easy straight-set decision from E. Clarke.

Musicians Reg. Wood went down fighting to the last inch in his great battle with McConnell. Wood captured the first set after extra games, but McConnell came back strong, evened the score by winning the middle session, and then went on to take the verdict in the overtime set.

Results follow:

MEN'S SINGLES
C. Hagyard won from I. Temple, 6-0, 4-6, 7-5.
N. McConnell won from R. Wood, 7-9, 6-3, 6-4.
E. Harbison won from E. Clarke, 6-1, 6-2.

MEN'S DOUBLES
Wood and Davey won from McVane and Barlow, 6-4, 7-5.
Jackson and Jackson won from S. Hicks and Warder, 6-2, 6-4.

WOMEN'S DOUBLES
Mrs. Keyes and Miss Northam won from Misses Taylor and Parkinson, 6-5, 6-2, 6-4.

MIXED DOUBLES
Miss Boyce and Temple won from Miss Parkinson and Davey, 7-5, 6-4.
Mr. and Mrs. Butler won from Miss Atter and R. Jackson, 6-4, 6-4.

TODAY'S DRAW
10:00—Harbison and Clark vs. Butler and Stewart.
11:00—Mrs. LeMarquand and S. Jackson vs. Miss M. Rice-Jones and Wood; H. Davey vs. C. Hagyard; J. Wilkinson vs. D. Humphries.

1:00—Semi-final, Marquand and Temple vs. Harbison and Clark or Butler and Stewart.
2:00—Final, Mrs. LeMarquand vs. Miss Boyce; semi-final, Wood and Davey vs. Jackson and Jackson; Misses M. Rice-Jones and Cummins vs. Misses P. and D. Lockley.

3:00—Mrs. Erickson and Harbison vs. Miss Peden and Wilkinson; Miss Cummins and McPherson vs. Mr. and Mrs. Butler.
4:00—Semi-final, Miss Boyce and Temple vs. Miss M. Rice-Jones and Wood or Mrs. LeMarquand and S. Jackson.

8:00—Final, men's doubles.
CONSOLATION SINGLES
10:00—A. McVane vs. K. Barlow; H. Miller vs. N. Smythe.
1:00—E. Parsons vs. J. Wells.

Action During Two Big League Ball Games



The fans at these two big league ball games witnessed some smart action around third base and the home plate. In the top picture the camera man was right on the job and snapped Joe Kuhel after he had over ran third and Jimmy Tabor outdaring him as he tried desperately to get safely back. In the lower action photograph Catcher Johnny Peacock is caught in a desperate attempt to nail Mike Kreevich at the plate, but the Brooklyn player hit the dirt first as the big backstop missed him completely.

Box Lacrosse League game here last night.
The win did not alter standings, but gave Farmers a better hold on third place. Burrards are leading the league with 26 points; Adanacs, the Canadian champions, are second with 23, and Richmond trail with 22 points.

Salmonbellies and Indians are battling for the cellar spot. Richmond took command in the first quarter and grabbed a 3-2 lead, but by half-time trailed, 6-4.

Salmonbellies held an 11-9 lead at the end of the third quarter. Johnny Smith topped Richmond scorers with four goals, while Ralph Burton, this year's consistent high man for the fishermen, sank a similar number.

Joe Galliano, formerly of Nelson, scored two of New Westminster's total.

Griffin Hits Century As C's Beat Cowichan

Churchmen's Batmen Scores 105 and Is Unbeatable in League Cricket Match—Hepworth and J. Payne in Form—Victoria Defeats Incoogs

LEAGUE STANDING	P.	W.	L.	P.
Incoogs	4	3	1	6
Five Cs	5	3	2	6
Albions	4	2	2	4
Cowichan	5	1	4	2
Seattle	0	0	0	0

League Match—Five Cs 218 for seven wickets; Cowichan 7.
Friendly Match—Victoria, 14; Incoogs, 57.

Five Cs won yesterday's league game with Cowichan by a margin of 147 runs. With the help of Friday's rain, the veteran groundsman, Tom Hogarth, had prepared a splendid pitch, and the churchmen having won the choice of innings, decided to bat first.

The start was disastrous, Harper, being clean bowled by Bais in the first over. Then Alan Griffin and George Payne became associated, and despite several bowling chances, the next wicket did not fall until sixty-one runs had been scored. Griffin was in his best form and was hitting cleanly all around the wicket.

Ware was foolishly run out when he had scored twenty-two, including a big drive for six right over the bowling green. With Attwell in to bat, the score mounted rapidly and the 200 mark was passed with the loss of only six wickets. Soon after, Alan Griffin completed his first century of the season, and he carried his bat right through the innings.

Although he gave two chances, it was a splendid effort, and among his scoring strokes were twelve fours and two sixes.

When the two-hour batting time limit was reached, the churchmen had run up a total of 218 for seven wickets.

Cowichan got away to a bad start, losing their opening batsman in Hepworth's first over. Four men were dismissed for only eighteen runs, and with Jack Payne and Hepworth bowling at their best runs were very hard to obtain.

The seventh wicket fell at twenty-eight, then the veterans Bais and Green improved matters somewhat by adding twenty runs for the eighth wicket, the final tally being seventy-one, leaving the Cs easy winners.

Hepworth was almost unplayable, five of his ten overs being maidens. Jack Payne backed him up splendidly by capturing six wickets at the other end.

FIVE CS
Harper, b Bais..... 0
Griffin, not out..... 105
G. Payne, c and b Bais..... 37
Ware, run out..... 22
Hepworth, c E. S. Fox, b Ashby..... 29
Attwell, b E. S. Fox..... 29
J. Payne, b A. Fox..... 3
Petch, c and b E. S. Fox..... 6
Extras..... 11

Total for seven wickets..... 218
("Quinton, Conley, P. C. Payne did not bat.")

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Total..... 71
Bowling Analysis
Incoogs..... O. W. R.
E. Gillespie..... 8 1 19
Twamley..... 5 5 18
Bosom..... 3 2 5
Sparks..... 4 0 7
Collett..... 1 0 0
Victoria..... O. W. R.
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TOPS STRONG FIELD IN GOLD CUP EVENT AT HOLLYWOOD PARK

W. L. Brann's Great Horse Holds Triumph Effort Until Hitting the Stretch—Specify Is Second And Can't Wait Is Third—Wolf Completes "Triple"—Win Worth \$36,200

LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 27 (AP).—Chalcedon won the \$50,000 added Hollywood Gold Cup mile and a quarter handicap today. Specify was second and Can't Wait third.

The time was 2:02, a track record. Joy Boy finished fourth. The pari-mutuel pay-off on Chalcedon was \$740 win, \$440 place, \$340 show; on Specify \$10.80 place, \$5.50 show; on Can't Wait \$3.40 show. Chalcedon, top money winner in American racing, held his triumph effort until the stretch and easily captured California's Summer turf classic in true thoroughbred style by a length and a quarter.

The mighty Chalcedon, ridden by George Woolf—the Cardston, Alta. boy who was scoring his third straight triumph in this Summer-time classic of the Western turf—stayed off the pace until he hit the stretch. Then he closed ground with a champion's rush to lead the speedy Specify under the wire by one length and a quarter.

CLOSES THE GAP
Pride and Joy of Owner W. L. Brann, Chalcedon reached California soil for the first time only last Monday after running third in the Massachusetts Handicap. He left little to the imagination as he began his victory spurt on the far turn of the mile-and-a-quarter event.

Then running eighth to the burning pace of Specify, Hysterical and Joy Boy, the red and gold bars of the Brann silks closed the gap and, as Specify made one final charge at him, eased away to win handily.

He was timed in 2:02, to break the track record hung up in the cup race a year ago by Kayak II at 2:02 3-5.

Victory to Chalcedon, winner of the Freekins and outstanding three-year-old of 1939, brought Sportsman Brann \$36,200, in added money and boosted the burnished brown candidate's winnings to \$294,635.

A total of \$215,290, biggest sum ever handled at Hollywood, was bet on the handicap. Specify won \$10,000 purse money for second, Can't Wait \$5,000 for third and Joy Boy, owned by Louis B. Mayer, \$2,000 for fourth. Finishing behind were Hysterical, Viscosity, Kayak II, Advocate, Vain Bo, Wedding Call and Pileston.

The day's betting total rolled to \$1,142,851, for another record. The 1938 Gold Cup day total was \$928,896, and the all-time high for Hollywood Park was \$987,210.

Boxing Tourney To Be Held Here For the Services

ALDERMAN W. H. Davies, chairman of the Celebration and Auxiliary Services Committee, announced yesterday that preliminary arrangements have been made for a city closed army and navy boxing championship tournament, which will be held at the Royal Athletic Park about the middle of next month. The exact date will be set later. The entire proceeds will go to Canada's War Effort Fund. Entry forms will be printed soon and distributed this week to the various military and naval units. All bouts will be staged with regular boxing rules governing them, and not under the army regulations, where the referee is outside of the rings during fights.

BASEBALL SCHOOL IS POPULAR HERE
More Than 100 Aspiring Young Ball Players Attending Daily Sessions at Athletic Park

Gaining in popularity since the opening early this month, Victoria's second annual baseball school at Royal Athletic Park is catering to more than 100 aspiring young ball players. Classes are held Mondays to Fridays, both days inclusive, and the attendance to the various classes is reported good.

J. E. Kelpin, former Winnipeg semi-pro baseball player, is the chief instructor, and conducts ten classes weekly, with the students segregated according to ages. Instruction is given mornings and afternoons, and any boys who have failed to take advantage of the training may register at Royal Athletic Park any day this week.

The schedule for the coming week, as announced by instructor J. E. Kelpin, follows:

Monday—A.M. boys over fourteen; p.m. boys under twelve.
Tuesday—A.M. Oak Bay vs. Bulldogs, midweek baseball game; p.m. boys twelve to fourteen.

Wednesday—A.M. boys over fourteen; p.m. boys under twelve.
Thursday—A.M. Giants vs. Oak Bay, midweek baseball game; p.m. boys twelve to fourteen.

Friday—A.M. boys over fourteen; p.m. boys under twelve.
In a Midweek League game played yesterday, Cook Street Bulldogs defeated Fernwood Giants, 9-4.

W. L. Pelt
Fernwood Giants..... 2 1 687
Oak Bay Aces..... 1 1 500
Cook St. Bulldogs..... 1 2 333

Total..... 51
('Sparks did not bat.)

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DETROIT WIDENS LEAD IN THE AMERICAN LEAGUE

Double Win Over Philadelphia Gives Tigers Advantage

Move Two Full Games Ahead of Cleveland, Which Is Beaten by Washington—Red Sox and Yankees Lose—Dodgers Drop Pair to Cards—Nine Fixtures Behind Pacing Reds

By The Canadian Press

For most of a very warm afternoon yesterday, big Moose Solters might just as well have had a lolly pop in his hand as a baseball bat when he stepped up to the plate for the White Sox against the New York Yankees.

But in the twelfth inning, when it came time to maintain the Yanks' record for losing overtime games, the Moose obliged by poking one of Mary Brewer's slants into the left field seats for his ninth homer of the year and a 6-5 victory for the Sox, ending a "comedy of errors" performance by both sides.

Despite Solters' game-wrecking wallop and homers by Joe Gordon and Tommy Henrich, the highlight of the proceedings came in the very first inning, when Joe DiMaggio was tagged with two errors on one play in a neat bit of "now-he-has-it-now-he-doesn't" outfielding. With two out, Joe Kuhel lofted a fly to DiMaggio who caught and, with the rest of the Yanks, was trotting off the field. As he ran, however, he dropped the ball and Umpire Red Rommel insisted the putout was not legal, since, under the rules, an outfielder must get the ball away after a catch.

CLUB PROTESTS

DiMaggio picked up the ball and threw it to the unprotected third base. It skipped all the way into the Sox dugout and Kuhel danced around the bases to score. The entire Yankee club protested the decision, with the usual results.

The Philadelphia Athletics, tough customers all season for the Tigers, succumbed twice under big bombardments from the league pace-makers, 15-2 and 8-7, as Detroit

hiked its American League lead up to two full games.

Schoolboy Rowe personally submerged the A's in the opener on six hits, homering with a man on base in the fourth for the tying and winning runs.

Kendall Chase, Washington southpaw who frequently is a Cleveland jinx, twirled steady seven-hit ball to give the Nats a 7-1 victory which cost the second-place Indians ground in their effort to overhaul Detroit.

The St. Louis Browns were in a slugging mood and found the Boston Red Sox flingers made to order for limbering-up exercises which netted fifteen safeties and a 13-5 triumph.

Big Hugh Mulcahy won his eleventh game of the season, his fourth in a row and ended Cincinnati's seven-game winning streak by pitching the Phillies to a 5-3 triumph over the National League leaders.

The tall right-hander gave up seven hits, two of them scratches, in turning back the Reds for the third time this year. He nearly wilted under 100-degree heat in the fourth, but revived to go the distance.

Pittsburgh's surging Pirates trounced the Boston Bees 10-4 for their second victory in a row in the current series, playing before a slim crowd of 1,519, more than half of them women.

The defeat sent the Bees to but a half game away from the cellar and gave Pittsburgh its fifteenth triumph in the last twenty starts.

Brooklyn's nose-diving Dodgers dropped both ends of a double-header to the St. Louis Cardinals, 4-2 and 6-3, to sink nine full games back of the National League-leading Cincinnati Reds.

After wasting two booming triples, the Giants put together a pair of singles and an infield out in the seventh inning to break up a red-hot hurling duel and nip the Chicago Cubs 1-0 before a puny crowd of 3,988.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

New York, 100 001 300 000—5 9 3
Chicago, 102 002 000 001—6 9 2
Batteries: Brewer and Dickey; Rigney and Tresh.
Philadelphia, 200 000 000—2 6 0
Detroit, 010 251 243—15 16 1
Batteries: Potter, Besse and Hayes; Wagner and Sullivan.
Second game—
Philadelphia, 110 020 300—7 11 2
Detroit, 300 100 400—8 11 5
Batteries: Vaughan and Hayes; Gorsica, Benton and Tebbetts.
Washington, 400 010 002—7 13 3
Cleveland, 010 000 001—2 6 0
Batteries: Chase and Ferrell; Deaton, Elenstat, Andrews and Pylak.
Boston, 001 021 100—5 11 1
St. Louis, 041 214 103—13 15 0
Batteries: Ostermuller, Heving, Mustakos and Glenn; Wagner, Kennedy and Swift.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Cincinnati, 000 201 000—3 7 0
Philadelphia, 000 010 005—5 8 0
Batteries: Moore, Hutchinson, Shaffer, Riddle and Hershberger; Mulcahy and Warren.
Pittsburgh, 005 211 100—10 17 2
Boston, 201 001 000—4 9 1
Batteries: Bowman, MacPadden and Davis; Lopez, Sullivan, Picchotta, Strucovich and Masi. Andrews, Tobin.
First game—
St. Louis, 011 002 000—4 9 1
Brooklyn, 000 000 000—2 7 1
Batteries: Doyle, Lanier, Cooper and Owens; Oriskany, Casey, Head and Phelps, Mancuso.
Second game—
St. Louis, 010 220 100—6 9 1
Brooklyn, 001 000 200—3 8 1
Batteries: Shoun and Padgett; Davis, Hamlin, Tamulis, Pressnell and Mancuso.

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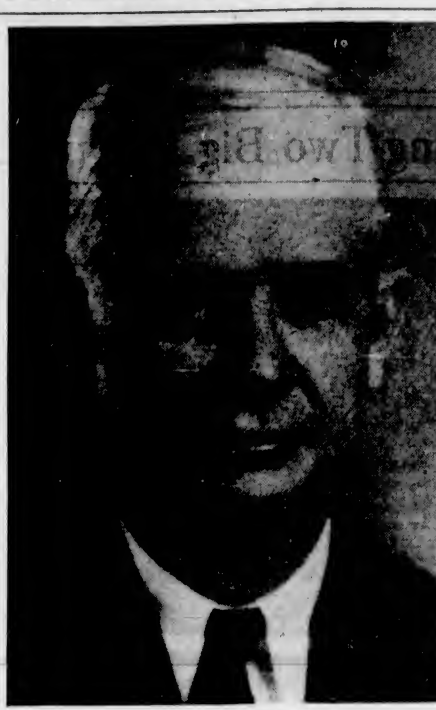
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SOFTBALLERS OPEN FINALS HERE TUESDAY

Cameron Lumber and Victoria Longshoremen Meet At Athletic Park

Idle since they annexed the sectional honors, Manager Jim Lackie's Victoria Longshoremen will resume their softball war Tuesday evening at Royal Athletic Park, when they attack up against Cameron Lumber in the first game of the senior "A" men's finals. The game is scheduled for 8:15 o'clock.

Jack Pascoe's lumbermen marched into the finals last Thursday evening when they defeated Brunson's Veterans in the third and final game of the preliminary play-downs.

Followers of the "big apple" pastime are giving Cameron a good chance of making matters very interesting for the freight jugglers. Longshoremen, in their early season's play, looked capable of walking off with the bunting in easy fashion, but at this stage even some of their most ardent supporters figure the finals will be something of a battle.

RYERS TO PITCH

Anxious to take the first game, Manager Lackie will toss Ray Ryers, husky right-hander and ace hurler, against the lumbermen Tuesday evening. In the opposition camp no choice has been made, but those close to the board of strategy figure that "Rox" McLellan will get a rest in the opener.

Play-downs in all other men's divisions will continue this week. Manager Horace Ward's Victoria Machinery Dept. softballers figured they annexed the "C" section honors last week, but later discovered that a protest filed by The Times softballers has been upheld and a replay of the protested game ordered.

Acting Secretary Al Longley has requested team managers to turn in all trophies won last season as soon as possible. Such cups should be in the hands of the association officials not later than Wednesday of this week.

This week's complete schedule follows:

ISLAND PLAY-OFFS

"A" SECTION

Tuesday

(Best Three Out of Five Games)

V.L.A. vs. Cameron Lumber, Athletic Park; umpire, plate, Pick; first base, Gent; second base, F. Tooby; third base, B. Simpson.

Cameron Lumber vs. V.L.A., Athletic Park; umpire, plate, Pick; first base, B. Simpson; second base, H. Gent; third base, F. Tooby.

"B" SECTION PLAY-OFFS

(Best Two Out of Three Games)

Monday

Harknett Fuel vs. H.M.C. Dockyard, upper Central; umpire, Pick; Sayer.

Wednesday

H.M.C. Dockyard vs. Harknett Fuel, Victoria West Park; umpire, Simpson, Mulr.

"C" SECTION PLAY-OFFS

(Replay Game)

Monday

V.M.D. vs. Times, lower Central; umpire, Simpson and Gent.

Tuesday

(If necessary, toss for home game.)

V.M.D. vs. Times, Victoria West Park; umpire, Sayer and Mulr.

"C" AND "D" SECTION PLAY-OFFS

(Best Two Out of Three Games)

Wednesday

Winners V.M.D. vs. Times vs. Chinese R.C., lower Central; umpire, P. Tooby and Tooby.

Friday

Chinese R.C. vs. winners V.M.D. vs. Times, Victoria West Park; umpire, Sayer and Mulr.

OF Portland, who will be guiding the affairs of the Seniors' Northwest Golf Association during the veterans' tournament next month at the Colwood course. The meet will start on Monday, August 12, with the eighteen-hole qualifying round and then match play will commence the next day and continue until Friday when the grand championship final and other play-offs will be staged. Golfers will be here from all parts of the North-

west, and, despite the war, a larger contingent than ever is expected from the United States. Jack Balingier, Seattle, will be over to defend the seniors' title which he captured last year at the Oak Bay links. Beside President Murphy, first vice-president, F. R. Stewart, and W. L. McCormick, second vice-president, the tournament committee is comprised of J. E. Goldring, J. J. Dempsey, Miller Freeman, T. S. McPherson and J. W. Ruggles.

MISS YOUNG GAINS FINAL OF NET MEET

Vancouver Girl to Meet Helen Gurley for Western Canada Title

VANCOUVER, July 27 (CP).—Visiting California net star advanced as expected through semi-final matches during the fifth day's play in the Western Canada lawn tennis championships here today.

Top-seeded Emory Neale, of Portland, was carried the full five sets by Jack Gurley, of Sacramento, before he stroked his way into the final, 6-4, 7-5, 5-7, 3-6, 6-1.

Neale meets Harold Wagner, of San Francisco, in tomorrow's singles final. Wagner eliminated clever young Budge Patty, of Los Angeles, 6-3, 6-2.

In the men's open doubles semi-finals, Joe Bixler, of Los Angeles, and Patty defeated to Neale and Len Clark on match point after leading 2-1 in sets, 9-7, 3-6, 7-9. Bixler and Patty would have been unable to compete in the final as they had to return home. Wagner and Gurley dusted off the Vancouver team of Jimmy Bardsley and Ron Sadoway, 6-3, 6-1, in the other semi match.

Eleanor Young, of Vancouver, defeated Lou Gates, of San Francisco, in straight sets, 6-2, 6-1, to enter the final against Helen Gurley, of Sacramento, who defeated Joann Brooker, of Santa Monica, 7-5, 4-6, 6-0, in the second bracket.

Jean and Susie Milne, of Vancouver, defeated the favored Brooke-Gurley team, 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, in the women's open doubles and will meet Miss Young and Caroline Deacon, who brushed aside Dorothy Head, of Alameda, and Patty Greenup, of Tacoma, 6-3, 6-2, in the other semi, making it an "all-Vancouver" final.

Those poor officers

A young sergeant asked the sergeant-major for advice in framing a charge for which there was no example in King's Regulations.

"What was the man doing exactly?" asked the sergeant-major. "Firting with a girl in the park."

"Well," said the sergeant-major, "charge him with impersonating an officer."

His discovery

The visitor paid his green fee, fixed up a match, and went out to the first tee. Taking his stance, he gave a wild swing and missed completely.

"By jove," he said to his opponent, "It's a good thing I found out early on—this course is at least two inches lower than the one I usually play on."

PORT DALHOUSIE, Ont., July 27 (CP).—R. G. Dibble, of Toronto, was elected president of the Canadian Association of Amateur Golfers at the annual meeting here yesterday. The executive includes C. S. Riley, Winnipeg. A member is to be appointed by clubs at Vancouver.

Cincinnati Buckeyes Beat Victoria Squad In Exhibition Games

Visitors Take Ten-Inning Matinee Attraction, 3-2, And Win Nightcap, 4-2—Davies and Stobo Hurl Good Ball—Davidans Coming

MAKING their first and only appearance on Vancouver Island this season, Cincinnati Buckeyes, associate members of the National Colored Baseball League, yesterday took both ends of a twin bill exhibition series from the Victoria Club. Visitors eked out a 3-2 victory over the locals in the ten-inning matinee attraction, and then came up with a 4-2 verdict in the nightcap.

But in defeat, Victoria gained considerable praise from the majority of the fans as they left the Caledonia Avenue ball lot. Followers of the diamond pastime were quick to admit that the locals made the chores quite heavy for the touring colored ballplayers, and the games very interesting to the onlookers.

There was, however, one disappointing feature, the loss of the ten-inning matinee attraction. Private Les Stobo, young soldier hurler, who worked like a charm on the hillcock, pitched great ball and was entitled to a 2-0 shutout victory, but an error in the third frame after two men were down started the Cincinnati boys on their winning way. Tourists pushed across two unearned runs after the miscue by Shortstop Barney Barnswell, and finally took the decision in the tenth inning.

GOOD BALL GAME

It was a good ball game, and the fans left the enclosure feeling well pleased with the improvement shown by the Victoria club. The visitors, below the class displayed here earlier in the week by the Ethiopian Clowns, showed plenty of smart defensive baseball, but did not have the power and drive at the plate. Garner, their hurler, dished up some speed and sent eleven Victoria batters back to the dugout via the strikeout route. He allowed three safeties, two in the first frame, when the locals did all of their scoring, and one in the seventh, a double by Ray Casey.

Cincinnati poked out nine safeties from the change-of-pace offerings of Les Stobo, but the local hurler kept them well scattered, never giving up more than a pair of safeties in any one frame. His clubmates hustled behind him and turned in their best performance since their double triumph over Vancouver here early in the season. Stobo fanned five.

WINS OWN GAME

Pitcher Alvin Gibson won his own ball game in the nightcap by punching out a scratch single in the "lucky" seventh and pushing over a pair of markers. The score was 1-1 prior to Gibson's base blow, and the nine-inning attraction finally ended 4-2 in favor of the visitors.

Victoria out-hit the Buckeyes, but except for the last inning, could not put their base hits together at the right times. Locals were held scoreless for the first five frames, and then Ray Patterson, hard-hitting receiver, poked the ball over the Pembroke Street fence for the only circuit drive in the two fixtures. Unluckily for Victoria, the cushions were unpopulated at the time.

Alvin Gibson, Buckeyes pitcher.

Box Score

Cincinnati—AB R H PO A E
Farmer, cf 5 0 1 0 0
Welch, lf 5 0 1 2 1 0
Listach, rf 4 1 0 0 0 0
T. Gibson, 3b 5 1 3 1 1 0
Dunbar, c 5 0 1 10 1 0
Saylor, 1b 4 0 1 11 1 0
Johnson, 2b 4 0 1 4 2 0
Kallis, ss 3 0 0 4 0 0
Barner, p 4 1 1 2 0 1

Totals 39 3 9 30 12 0
Victoria—AB R H PO A E
Farmer, cf 3 1 1 2 0 1
Barnswell, ss 3 0 0 1 2 2
Restell, cf 4 1 1 1 1 0
Bridgewood, c 4 0 0 7 0 0
Strouger, 2b 3 0 0 3 1 0
Casey, 3b 4 0 1 3 2 0
Stobo, p 4 0 1 3 2 0
Blake, rf 3 0 0 1 0 0
Condon, 1b 3 0 0 11 1 0
Richardson 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals 32 2 3 30 14 3
Batted for Blake in 10th.
Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 002 000 000 1-3
Victoria 000 000 000 0-2

Summary

Three-base hit, Gibson; 2-base hits, Gibson, Casey; sacrifice hits, Saylor.

Kallis, Barnswell; stolen bases, Farmer, Welch (2), Listach, Gibson, Saylor, Barner, Restell; struck out, by Stobo 5, by Barner 11; base on balls, off Stobo 1, off Barner 1; left on bases, Cincinnati-Buckeyes 8, Victoria 3; umpires, Restell and Kinners; time of game, 1 hour 38 minutes.

SECOND GAME

Box Score

Cincinnati—AB R H PO A E
Farmer, cf 4 1 2 1 0 0
Welch, lf 4 0 1 0 0 0
Listach, rf 4 0 1 1 0 0
T. Gibson, 3b 3 0 1 0 2 0
Bland, c 4 0 0 6 0 0
Saylor, 1b 4 1 2 14 0 0
Johnson, 2b 2 1 0 3 1 0
Strouger, 2b 3 0 0 1 2 0
Kallis, ss 4 0 0 1 4 0
A. Gibson, p 3 0 1 0 0 0

Totals 32 4 9 27 13 0
Victoria—AB R H PO A E
Casey, 3b 5 0 2 3 1 1
Murray, ss 3 0 1 3 7 1
Patterson, c 4 1 2 4 8 0
T. Matland, rf 4 0 1 1 0 0
Strouger, 2b 3 0 0 1 2 0
C. Restell, cf 2 0 1 1 0 0
Dunc, lf 2 0 0 0 0 0
Patrick, lf, cf 4 0 0 1 0 0
Davies, p 2 0 0 1 6 0
Condon, 1b 3 0 0 12 0 0
Bridgewood 1 1 0 0 0 0
Barnswell 1 0 1 0 0 0

Totals 34 2 10 27 21 2
Batted for Davies in 9th.
Batted for Condon in 9th.
Score by Innings:
Cincinnati 000 000 210-4
Victoria 000 001 001-2

Summary

Home run, Patterson; 2-base hits, Welch, Listach, Farmer; sacrifice hits, Johnson, Murray; stolen bases, Welch, Saylor; struck out, by Davies 1, by A. Gibson 5; base on balls off Davies 2, off A. Gibson 1; hit by pitcher Davies by A. Gibson; double plays, Davies to Murray to Condon, A. Gibson to Kallis to Saylor; left on bases, Cincinnati-Buckeyes 3, Victoria 8; umpires, Restell and Kinners; time of game, 1 hour 25 minutes.

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Bill Thompson and John Stewart Capture Aggregate Prizes in Open and Inter-Service Events, Respectively—Premier Pattullo Official at Grand Opening Ceremonies

Close rivalry between the boys in blue and the boys in khaki added an unusual attraction to Victoria's third annual Highland Games held yesterday in Macdonald Park. The Tommies taking the cream of the line inter-service competition by winning seven firsts, three seconds and one third to the Jack Tars' two firsts, six seconds and six thirds.

John Stewart of the 56th Battery, R.C.A. was the big individual service winner, running away with the 100, 220 and 440-yard events. In addition to catching third place in the 100 yards open as a member of the local Y.M.C.A. club.

Close to 2,000 people—lads and lassies in kilts and tartan plaids, men in Air Force blue, Royal blue and plain khaki, mostly Highland chiefs in their personal tartan kilts, senior officers of the three services, and a host of Victoria Scots of all ages and both sexes—passed through the turnstiles between early morning and late afternoon to make up a crowd that exceeded that of a year ago by some 600.

PREMIER SPEAKS

Premier T. D. Pattullo, introduced by Dr. Wallace R. Gunn, president of the Games, officially declared the gathering open at 2 p.m., although dancing and piping competitions had been in progress since 9 a.m.

Extending a welcome to all those present, the Premier reminded them of their Scottish heritage and coupled it with the present war by saying that "The Huns may take Poland and the lesser countries of Europe, but they'll never take Great Britain, and in the Northern part it will always be 'Scotland for ever'."

As the grandstand cheered he declared further that "the banks of Loch Lomond will always be bonnie, and no Scotsman with blood in his veins will hesitate to lay down his life for Annie Laurie."

Backgrounded by platforms of competing dancers and pipers, and brazen athletes testing the caber

and throwing the weights in the field events, the track races were run off smartly and to the loud encouragement of the spectators. Considering the slow and soft turf on which they ran, competitors returned creditable times in some events.

Athletes came from several Up-Island points and the Mainland for the open events, the number of entries just about equalling last year. Prominent among the visiting runners were Jack Harrison, the British Empire Games flying cop from Vancouver; Margaret Bell Ryan, Vancouver's British Empire Games high jumper; Edna McDermid and Campbell Williams, sprinters and jumper from Nanaimo; the mile winner, E. Stolzenberg, also from Nanaimo, and Rex Moore, of Vancouver.

The track and field grand aggregate winner was Bill Thompson, Oak Bay policeman, who took first in the 120 yards high hurdles and tossing the caber seconds in the sixteen-pound shot put and throwing the twenty-eight-pound hammer, and third in throwing the sixteen-pound weight.

SPRINT WINNERS

Young Campbell Williams raced home in 10.2 to top the 100 yards open, and also showed the field a clean pair of heels in the 220 yards open, winning in 24.1. In the 100 and 220 yards for boys under eighteen years, Bill Clarke, of the Y.M.C.A. team here, took both events in 10.3 and 25 flat, respectively.

Bill Dale, Victoria's famous half-miler, took the 880 yards open easily in 2:03.1, and Joe Addison, flying cop of Victoria, got a first in the 880 yards open, second in the 880 yards open, second in the 880 yards open and third in the high hurdles.

Margaret Junget, Y.M.C.A. runner, gained first place in the girls' 100 yards in the last time of 11 seconds flat, and came second in the ladies' broad jump, Edna McDermid, second to Margaret in the 100 yards, won the broad jump with a leap of 15 feet 4 inches, and also took second in the high jump with 4 feet 7 inches. Margaret Ryan jumped 4 feet 9 inches to take the high jump honors.

Principal officials were: Games committee—Chieftain, Col. Ross Napier; chairman, Dr. Wallace R. Gunn; vice-chairman, E. M. Whyte; treasurer, John MacKay.

Dodgers and Cubs Clash



War invades the diamond as Brooklyn Dodgers and Chicago Cubs tangle during a game in Chicago. The fray started when Pitcher Claude Paspeau, of the Cubs, hit by a pitched ball, flung his bat at Hugh Casey, pitching for the Dodgers. Close-up of the hostilities shows Gabby Hartnett (centre), Cubs' manager, holding Joe Gallagher, Brooklyn player (right).

Secretary, J. C. Dowds; assistant secretary, Miss E. Finlayson; executive, J. MacDonald; J. A. Dewar, Mrs. E. MacDonald, J. Grant and A. MacDonald.

Track and field—Referee, Arthur Manson; clerk of the course, John Barker; inspectors, K. Moodie and W. A. Batchelor; timekeepers, Flynn, Officer D. D. DeWitt, R.C.A.F., and W. W. Martin; scorer, Matt McConnell; chief steward, W. J. Carter; marshal, Alex MacDonald.

Judges of track and inter-service events—E. E. Taylor, Lieutenant-Commander R. R. Kingsdale, Capt. J. Lightbody and Cecil A. Davidson, R.C.A.F.

Field events—Jumps—W. A. Royer, Capt. W. H. Molson, Aid. S. H. O'Neil and J. V. Johnson; weights, Hector McLean, William Elliott, Aid. W. H. Davies and A. H. Cameron.

Officers of the Victoria Highland Games Association are: President, Dr. Wallace R. Gunn; vice-president, E. M. Whyte; past president, Duncan MacBride; treasurer, John MacKay; secretary, J. C. Dowds.

The net proceeds of the game went to the Scottish war fund being raised in the city as a contribution to Canada's war effort.

COMPLETE RESULTS

Results in detail follow:
100 yards open, men—1, Campbell Williams, Nanaimo; 2, J. Harrison, Vancouver Police; 3, J. M. Stewart, Victoria. Time, 10:2.5.
220 yards open, men—1, Campbell Williams; 2, J. Addison, Victoria. Time, 24:1.5.
440 yards open, men—1, J. Addison; 2, Grant Willis, Victoria; 3, W. Clarke, Victoria. Time, 51.5.
880 yards open, men—1, W. Dale, Victoria; 2, J. Addison; 3, E. Stolzenberg, Nanaimo. Time, 2:03.5.
One mile open, men—1, E. Stolzenberg; 2, Grant Willis; 3, A. MacFarlane, Victoria. Time, 5:55.
100 yards, boys under 18—1, W. Clarke; 2, H. Taylor, Nanaimo; 3, W. Towill, Victoria. Time, 10:3.5.
220 yards, boys under 18—1, W. Clarke; 2, W. Towill; 3, J. Gibbs, Victoria. Time, 25 flat.

100 yards, girls under 18—1, M. Junget, Victoria; 2, Edna McDermid, Nanaimo. Time, 11 flat.
120 yards high hurdles, men—1, W. Thompson, Victoria; 2, W. Dale; 3, J. Addison.
Relay race—1, Y.M.C.A. (W. Clarke, J. Linn, W. Dale, R. Dodwell). Time, 1:37.
High jump, ladies—1, M. Bell Ryan, Vancouver; 2, E. McDermid; 3, D. Woodburn, Victoria. 4 ft. 9 ins.
Broad jump, ladies—1, E. McDermid; 2, M. Junget; 3, P. Johnson, Victoria. 15 ft. 4 ins.
Shot put—1, Rex Moore, Vancouver. 42 ft. 2. W. Thompson, 40 ft. 3.4. 3, F. Collier, Victoria. 34 ft. 1.2.
28-pound weight—1, Rex Moore. 55 ft. 1.2. 2, W. Thompson, 45 ft. 1.2. 3, F. Collier, 43 ft. 1.2.
High jump, men—1, H. Taylor, 5 ft. 10. 2, V. Dale, 5 ft. 6. 3, D. Gray, Vancouver. 5 ft. 5.
Broad jump, men—1, Vic Dale. 20 ft. 2. F. G. Smith, Duncan, 19 ft. 9. D. Gray, 18 ft. 8.
16-pound hammer throw—1, Rex Moore, 61 ft. 3.4. 2, F. McKim, Victoria. 78 ft. 3.4. 3, W. Thompson, 78 ft. 2.2.
Caber tossing—1, W. Thompson. 33 ft. 1.2. 2, J. Elia, Victoria. 32 ft. 1.2. 3, F. McKim. 32 ft. 3.
Tug-of-war, open—1, V.I. Longshoremen.
Quotient—1, A. Wilson, Nanaimo; 2, J. McMillan, Victoria; 3, T. Alexander, Victoria; 4, W. Wilson, Vancouver.
Grand aggregate—W. Thompson, Victoria.

INTER-SERVICE EVENTS

100 yards—1, J. M. Stewart, R.C.A.; 2, J. W. Smith, R.C.N.; 3, A. W. Lindsay, R.C.N. Time, 10:3.5.
220 yards—1, J. Stewart, R.C.A.; 2, J. W. Smith, R.C.N.; 3, R. Rogers, R.C.N. Time, 24 flat.
440 yards—1, J. Stewart, R.C.A.; 2, L. Sweeting, R.C.N.; 3, H. Goldmar, R.C.N. Time, 52:4.5.
Pillow fight—1, H. Torrence, R.C.N.; 2, T. Peers, R.C.A.; 3, M. Goldmar, R.C.N.
Mounted wrestling—1, D. Muir and H. Taylor, Army; 2, M. Bennett

and G. M. Speller, Army; 3, Spencer and Evans, Navy.
Tilting the bucket—1, Jacob and Atkins, Army; 2, Black and Torrence, R.C.N.; 3, T. Peers and Dingwall, R.C.A.
Wheelbarrow race—1, H. E. Taylor and P. O. Sweeting, R.C.N.; 2, Evans and Kelley, R.C.N.
Obstacle race—1, D. Jacobs, Canadian Scottish; 2, H. E. Taylor, R.C.N.; 3, H. Torrence, R.C.N.
Tug-of-war—1, 56th Battery, R.C.A., Victoria, defeated Canadian Scottish.

Swain Gallops to Five-Length Victory in Arlington Futurity

CHICAGO, July 27 (AP)—Swain, a grey roan son of the famous Ladyman, duplicated the achievement of his sire, today by galloping to a five-length victory in the \$48,565 Arlington Futurity before a crowd of 30,000. Ladyman won the first running of the Futurity in 1922.

Getting away last in a field of twelve, Swain circled the entire field and shot out of fifth place in the stretch to collar Valinda Groom and Whirlaway.

The winner sprinted the six furlongs over a muddy track in 1:13.4.5, with jockey Johnny Adams on his back.

Swain is owned by Cleveland Putnam, of Lake Forest, Ill., a thirty-year-old racing enthusiast. He bought Ladyman six years ago for \$50,000 in an attempt to win the Santa Anita Handicap, and purchased Swain as a yearling for \$5,000 because of his desire to own a Ladyman colt.

Swain was grouped with New Englander as a two-horse field and paid \$12.20 to win, \$5.40 to place and \$4 to show. Valinda Groom returned \$13.40 to place and \$8 to show, while the show price on Whirlaway was \$6.40.

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Joe Burk Retains Canadian Singles Sculling Laurels

World's Rowing Champion Captures Dominion Crown for Third Successive Year by Defeating Dubois and Hutcheon—United States Crews Dominate the Various Finals

PORT DALHOUSIE, Ont., July 27 (CP)—Visiting oarsmen from United States rowed away with major honors today at the Royal Canadian Henley Regatta.

Joe Burk, the world's supreme singles sculler, defeated Thoe Dubois, of Winnipeg, and Harve Hutcheon, of St. Catharines, to retain his Canadian singles crown, which he will now wear for the third successive time.

In the Canadian eight-oared senior championship, Buffalo Westsides outpiled Hamilton Leanders and Toronto Argonauts to clinch aggregate point honors for the Buffalonians.

Burk got away to a flying start in the headline singles event. His perfectly-timed stroke enabled him to keep Dubois in check and the Philadelphia finished a length ahead in 8:22. In last year's final, Dubois trailed Burk by six lengths. Hutcheon was two lengths back of the Winnipeg sculler.

The eight-oared bout was a thriller from start to finish, although Buffalo spurred at the end to gain a four-length margin. The Hamilton and Toronto eights finished in a dead heat for second place.

Good sportsmanship gave Westsides the chance to score their triumph. They had been disqualified late, but pleas of the Canadian entrants were heeded and the visitors reinstated. They swept the Henley course in 7:14.

Westsides won a two-boat race from Detroit Boat Club in the senior 140-pound eights final.

Winners of the United States national doubles title at Red Bank, N.J., last week, Howard McGillen and Jim Burk, gave Philadelphia's Penn A.C. its first points of the regatta by sculling their way to victory in the titular doubles event. They were two open lengths ahead of the second-place Hamilton Leanders, Jack Linsen and Sandy Saunders, who battled off a furious challenge of a Toronto Argonaut, Jim Russell and Bill Reid. Argos trailed Leanders only one-half

length at the finish. Burk is a younger brother of Joe Burk. Westsides retained the club aggregate honors, which they dropped to Toronto Argos last year, by compiling a total of 68 points during the three-day regatta. Argos trailed in second place in the club standings with 49. Detroit Boat Club and Hamilton Leanders were next in line with 37 and 36, respectively.

Heading the Ribbet Cup baseball race, three full games ahead of the Eagles and Pitzer & Nex, second berth nines. Manager "Scotty" Robinson's pace-setting Titlicums Athletics will oppose the Navy. Monday evening at Royal Athletic Park as local clubs resume their pennant race.

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SEATTLE, July 27 (AP)—Navy horses go to the post tomorrow in the \$2,000 Speed Handicap at Longacres over six furlongs.

Entries are Lavengro and Proud Indian, of the Elites Farm, and Pala Squaw and Olimpo, owned by Al Rosenberg. Others in the race will be Sun Supremacy, Downy Pillow, C-Note, Pomkey and Exploited.

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CONCERT AND DANCE AT PARK TOMORROW

The Cher Up and Get Acquainted Concert-Party programme, which could not be held last Friday evening on account of wet weather, will take place tomorrow evening at Beacon Hill Park from 8 to 10:30. The dancing area will be roped off so that more space will be available.

A collection will again be taken for the Silver Trail Fund by members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Air Services. War savings stamps in the amounts of \$8 and \$4 will be offered as prizes in connection with the novel contest to be held during the evening. An old-time orchestra of seven pieces will provide the music.

Frank Tupman will act as master of ceremonies, and J. A. Harrison will attend to the registration of visitors. Members of the city fire department will act as floor managers, and Alderman W. H. Davies will operate the get acquainted mixer. Several features will be offered during the evening.

What Today Means

"LEO"

If July 28 is your birthday, the best hours for you on this date are from 11:15 a.m. until 1:15 p.m., from 2:15 to 4:15 p.m. and from 7:15 to 9:15 p.m. The danger periods are from 9:15 to 11:15 a.m., from 5:15 to 7:15 p.m. and from 9:15 to 11:15 p.m.

Happy memories will help make today pass quickly for some people and sad ones will make it seem to drag for other folks. Have cheerful words on the tip of your tongue for anyone who might need them. Do not pry too deeply into anyone's personal affairs. If you do not wish to be considered unduly inquisitive.

There may be many signs today to indicate the way of winning someone's favor, so it might pay you to be very observing. Stick to your opinions today and concede to others the right to hold steadfast to their own. It might be well on this occasion to remember that polite society places restrictions upon the limit indulgences in personal liberties can be carried and these limitations ought to be respected. Today you will have to rub people the right way to get them to agree to the granting of favors or putting themselves in a position to act as stepping-stones in the furtherance of some desire. Married and engaged couples and those who feel that they are progressing in their courtship, must display sincerity in their words and actions today; if they wish to enjoy the full confidence of their relatives and friends.

If a woman and July 28 is your birthday, avoid resorting to red tape whenever it is possible, for it will be through the employment of efficient methods whenever it is within your power to do so that your efforts will be successful. Today be guided by common sense rather than by sympathy. Remember "the better the day, the better the deed," and this might be a day when you will have it within your means to do some very kind things. Do not make the mistake of underrating anyone's intelligence or you may discover it when it is too late. As a sculptor, journalist, church or political worker, actress or director of some commercial pursuit, your services may be in great demand and turn out to be very profitable. Apparently your married life will be a thoroughly normal and happy one.

The child born on July 28 ought to be a healthy, happy, vigorous youngster, capable of holding its own during adolescence and maturity. Children born on this date are generally very lucky, and life seems to hold few misadventures for them.

If a man and July 28 is your natal day you may have to curb your inclination to take wild chances.

If you expect to attain financial security as a broker, army, navy or mercantile machine man, a laborer, salesman, promoter, manufacturer, inventor, agriculturist, journalist, or author a bright future ought to be ahead of you.

MONDAY, JULY 29
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There will be no plausible excuse for any self-respecting patriotic citizen to ignore in silence any reprehensible promulgating of radical ideas diametrically opposite to the high ideals and principles of a democracy. Today everyone with any claim of patriotism must be mentally alert and ready to denounce any sentiments that seem in the slightest degree to reflect a spirit of disloyalty. Today many persons will be ready to judge people by those in whose company they are seen, so it behooves you to exercise every precaution to associate only with friends and acquaintances that you know are above reproach. Charitable impulses will be responsible for many kindly actions today, and will be the principal mediums through which a sense of gratification will be experienced by the weltoer.

The "monkey see, monkey do" imitator is apt to be a source of amusement and a great deal of ridicule today, so be original in all that you do. Married and engaged couples, and seekers of partners to share their life's fortunes, had best consider the cost of every step they take today, for they will not be paying too high a price for the satisfying of any passing fancy.

If a woman and July 29 is your birthday you are remarkably instinctive and may often sense prevailing conditions with an uncanny degree of accuracy. Family and friends alike probably find it very difficult to pull the wool over your eyes. Good business judgment ought to characterize most of your business dealings, and your conservatism ought to prove advantageous in a financial way. Your interest and activity as a teacher, musician, singer, artist, dancer, designer, modiste, business manager, actress, or writer, may lead you to distinguish yourself in a most remarkable manner. Your marriage ought to be conducive to your getting your full share of the blessings of matrimony.

The child born on July 29 is generally very outspoken, truthful, and conscientious in the carrying out of any promises it makes. Children born on this date are frequently painfully aware of their own weaknesses and faults and strive earnestly to correct them, with the result that they seldom fail.

If a man and July 29 is your birthday on the checker board of life you will, in all probability, stake-out moves endangering your progress and safety and find yourself venturing winning through to the goal of victory. As a journalist, author, actor, sales manager, politician, financier, promoter, clergyman, inventor, educator, scientist, or as a professional man, your accomplishments may bring you renown and financial security.

NOW HE KNOWS

Farmer Giles' son was just home on leave from France, and, of course, the old man was anxious to know all about things "over there."

"What be they tanks like I years so much tank about?" he asked.

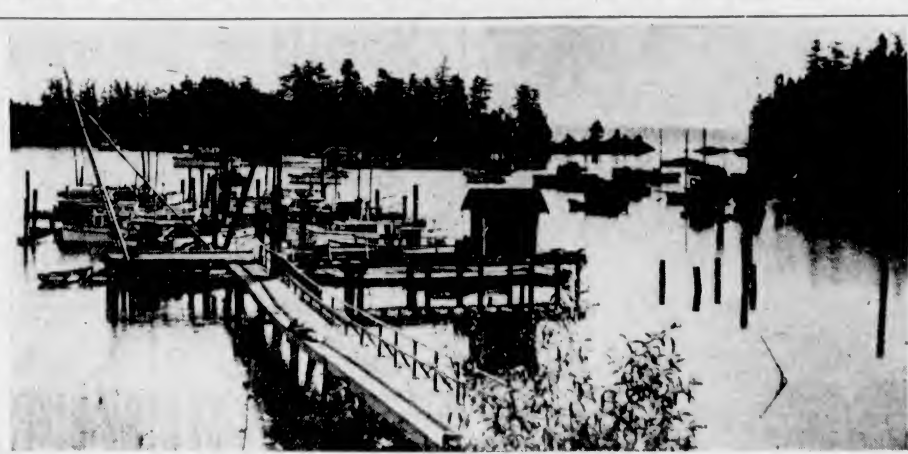
"Oh," replied young Giles, "they're just great wobbly things—maybobs full of what-you-may-call-ema, and they blaze away like light-o."

"I said the old man, 'I'd year'd they was wonderful things, but I never could get no details afore,'"

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Salt Spring Holds Recreational Facilities and Splendid Accommodation for Summer Visitors—Island Is Easily Reached From Victoria by Ferry

HOW often does one wish for something different in the way of a week-end motoring trip, somewhere new to go for the two weeks' vacation or for the entire Summer months. Those who know the district unhesitatingly recommend Salt Spring Island for such an excursion, while those who have not visited the beautiful Island have a treat in store. Whether it is for a few hours or for a matter of weeks or months, Salt Spring combines the natural beauties of unspoiled nature with the recreational facilities of an up-to-date resort.

On Salt Spring there are good hotels, modern auto camps, tennis courts, golf, mountain climbing, bathing and fishing. The island is connected with Vancouver Island by an up-to-date motor ferry, plying between Swartz Bay and Fulford Harbor this in addition to the scheduled C.P.R. service from Ganges to Vancouver.

TO FULFORD

Take the Mx. Cy Peck from Swartz Bay, it is but a half-hour journey to Fulford Harbor, and it is itself a trip that is a pleasure. The ferry passes between tree-covered islets, so close that it seems possible to swim to the sandy shores. Far in the distance snow-capped Mount Baker lifts a gleaming head to the blue sky. As the ferry enters the sheltered harbor of Fulford, the scenery changes. Green slopes roll back from the waters edge in a succession of ledges until they pile up into a series of hills far back in the centre of the island. Tucked

at the foot of the Malahat is the famous Sande Beach, reached by a side road. Here is a long sweep of soft white sand that welcomes the picnic party and is ideal for bathing. The bay continues to the north in a long horseshoe curve, skirted by the highway practically its entire length.

Fishing for grise and salmon is well known, and literally hundreds of pleasure boats may be seen, ranging in size from large launches to the little skiff, for the waters are safe and calm at all times.

There are excellent resorts at Mill Bay, prominent among which is Sunnerville. This is a spacious private home, converted into a delightful lodge for the accommodation of visitors. Set in the heart of privately owned land, there is ample seclusion. Wooded land sweeps down from the highway to the shingle beach and a feature is made of the luxurious wild ferns, which are carefully tended. There is a badminton court and a big sunroom, where the guest may take exercise or rest as they desire. The beach is good and the bathing warm and delightful. Boats are available and the famous fishing grounds are right at the door. Home cooking is at its best there, and the bracing air of Mill Bay assures a good appetite.

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It is at Ganges that the Harbor House Hotel stands, overlooking the landlocked water and the sloping beaches. This hotel is noted in addition to the comfortable accommodation and delicious fare, for its hard-court tennis courts, admitted to be among the best in the province. Bathing, boating and tennis are among the many recreations which may be enjoyed here.

VESUVIUS BAY

Beyond Ganges there is a choice of two roads, one leading past St. Mary's Lake, noted for black bass fishing, and so to the far end of the island. Another cuts across the island to Vesuvius Bay, and it is on this route that the nine-hole golf course is passed. At Vesuvius, where there are several excellent resorts, a panoramic view of Vancouver Island's coast is to be seen, from Maple Bay, past Chemainus and toward Nanaimo.

Every year sees an increasing number of visitors to Mill Bay, the sheltered waters that lie at the foot of the Malahat Drive. It is only an hour's drive over the highway, with the scenic beauties of the Malahat to boot, or, if preferred, it is possible to drive to Brentwood, catching the motor ferry that connects the Saanich Peninsula and Mill Bay, a twenty-five-minute run that is well worth making.

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To the west the eye is carried over Fulayson Arm, which winds between the hills, more like a giant's river than an arm of the sea. On their waters hundreds of pleasure boats, launches, yachts and rowboats move to and fro on the famous Brentwood fishing grounds. Perhaps the Brentwood ferry or an ancient tramp steamer, titanic in comparison with the smaller craft, laboriously slides through the water toward Bamberston Cement Works.

ATTRACTIONS TO BE FOUND IN SAANICH

District Combines Opportunity for Sport or Quiet in Glorious Scenery

Three separate attractions to the tourist and holiday seeker are held by this beautiful Island which lies basking in the luxuriance of one of the most temperate climates in the world. The lure of the deep, unbroken woods, with the tang of the invigorating mountain air to spur trips of adventure and exploration; the warm, sparkling water of the myriad beaches, coves and lakes where boating, bathing, fishing and loafing are always in order, and the quiet seclusion of rural surroundings, where the wind is swept by the hundred-and-one oases of flowers and fields and no sound comes to break the silence save the bleat of a sheep or the distant rumble of a train, rumbling through farm and meadow.

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Salt Spring Holds Recreational Facilities and Splendid Accommodation for Summer Visitors—Island Is Easily Reached From Victoria by Ferry

HOW often does one wish for something different in the way of a week-end motoring trip, somewhere new to go for the two weeks' vacation or for the entire Summer months. Those who know the district unhesitatingly recommend Salt Spring Island for such an excursion, while those who have not visited the beautiful Island have a treat in store. Whether it is for a few hours or for a matter of weeks or months, Salt Spring combines the natural beauties of unspoiled nature with the recreational facilities of an up-to-date resort.

On Salt Spring there are good hotels, modern auto camps, tennis courts, golf, mountain climbing, bathing and fishing. The island is connected with Vancouver Island by an up-to-date motor ferry, plying between Swartz Bay and Fulford Harbor this in addition to the scheduled C.P.R. service from Ganges to Vancouver.

TO FULFORD

Take the Mx. Cy Peck from Swartz Bay, it is but a half-hour journey to Fulford Harbor, and it is itself a trip that is a pleasure. The ferry passes between tree-covered islets, so close that it seems possible to swim to the sandy shores. Far in the distance snow-capped Mount Baker lifts a gleaming head to the blue sky. As the ferry enters the sheltered harbor of Fulford, the scenery changes. Green slopes roll back from the waters edge in a succession of ledges until they pile up into a series of hills far back in the centre of the island. Tucked

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PLACES OF INTEREST

The Saanich Peninsula abounds in places of interest and facilities for sport and recreation. No visitor to the Island should miss a visit to the Dominion Astrophysical Observatory, equipped with the second largest telescope in the world, a comfortable stopping place for an extended holiday.

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IS NEARING COMPLETION

First Canadian-Built Hampden Bomber Will Be Ready Soon

MONTREAL, July 27 (CP).—In the workshops of the Canadian Associated Aircraft Ltd., at nearby St. Hubert, the first Canadian-built Hampden bomber is nearing completion.

Within a day or so, officials say, the huge warplane—It has a wingspread of seventy-six feet and is sixty feet in length—will take to the air, powered by two Bristol Pegasus radial nine-cylinder engines each driving a three-bladed propeller.

The assembly of the plane is considered a triumph for Canadian aircraft building. It is the product of a half-dozen Eastern Canadian engineering firms—Canadian Car & Foundry Company, Canadian Vickers, Limited, and Fairchild Aircraft, Limited, all of Montreal; Ottawa Car & Aircraft Company, Fleet Aircraft Company, Fort Erie, Ont., and National Steel Car Company, Hamilton, Ont.—which joined hands in 1938 as the Canadian Associated Aircraft, Limited, to construct the planes.

Now that the first plane is just about finished, others will follow more rapidly. Many months of preparation are required to get such a ship in production. It is estimated that some 30,000 separate drawings had to be made for the component parts of the bomber. Jigs, dies and gauges all had to be built in Canada before any parts could be made. Key men were sent to England to learn the job of building Hampden bombers at first hand.

ANXIOUS AND WILLING NOW

Experienced Flyers Ready To Instruct Young Men in Plane Operation

VANCOUVER, July 27 (CP).—The comrades of the Royal Air Force Association are "most anxious to get enough non-permanent air force units under way in Canada so that there will be no danger of plane production surpassing the number of trained personnel to operate the planes," according to a statement issued by the association on Friday night.

The Vancouver air supremacy drive, after a meeting last night, went on record as favoring establishment of a non-permanent air force school, at least for ground training, in Vancouver.

Pointing out that the association has pressed for an auxiliary air squadron in Vancouver for the last six months, the statement says: "Hundreds of young men are ready, anxious and willing to start putting into effect the motto 'train while you wait.' There are plenty of older men, who know full well they will be needed in 1941, ready to do the instructing and prefer to get started now."

"Before the war is over, our En-

pire air force is very likely to far exceed 1,000,000 members."

CANADIAN PILOT WITH ROYAL AIR FORCE IS REPORTED MISSING

OTTAWA, July 27 (CP).—Bruce Power, former member of the Ottawa Flying Club and for the past two years a pilot officer in the Royal Air Force, is listed as missing, according to word received here today by his father, Hugh Power, an official of the Mines and Resources Department.

FLYER WINS DECORATION

Nova Scotia Pilot Officer Performs Fine Feat Of Airmanship

LONDON, July 27 (CP).—Pilot Officer David Albert Alton Romans was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross today for what was described as a "fine feat of airmanship" in gaining control of an aircraft after the pilot was knocked unconscious during a bombing attack on Eschwege Airdrome.

Romans, a native of Glace Bay, N.S., whose father lives in Halifax, was navigator and bomb aimer on the plane, and during the attack it was hit by a shell from the ground defenses, with the result that the pilot was rendered unconscious.

Realizing the plane was flying in an erratic manner, and that he was not receiving communications from the pilot, Romans proceeded to the cockpit. Sitting on the unconscious pilot's knees, the Canadian gained control of the aircraft. He continued to fly under these conditions until the injured pilot was removed twenty minutes later by the remainder of the crew.

The announcement accompanying the award said "this officer performed a fine feat of airmanship and showed great presence of mind in gaining control of the aircraft under such difficult conditions, especially as it was flying at a dangerously low altitude and subjected to intense and accurate anti-aircraft fire. He further succeeded in flying the aircraft safely back to its base, which necessitated accurate navigation without assistance."

Romans was appointed to a short service commission in the Royal Air Force in June, 1939.

CORVETTE TYPE SHIP LAUNCHED

Patrol and General Purpose Duty Craft for Navy Christened Yesterday

AT A GEORGIAN BAY PORT, Ont., July 27 (CP).—A corvette type ship, one of a number being built in Canada for patrol and general purpose duty by the Royal Canadian Navy overseas, was launched here today.

The vessel was launched after being christened by Mrs. MacLachlan, Montreal, wife of the deputy minister of national defence.

Prayers for the launching, the British Empire and Royal Canadian Navy were said by Rev. P. O. Sherrington before the vessel went down the slip.

GULF ISLANDS CRUISE

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12:30 P.M. 1:30 P.M.

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Acting Sub-Lieutenant James Wake Golby, Royal Canadian Navy Volunteer Reserve, son of the late Thomas Golby and Mrs. Golby, Cadboro Bay, was awarded the Distinguished Service Cross for "operations which prevented war material from falling into the hands of the enemy." The young officer's wife and two-year-old daughter reside in Victoria. Prominent in local yachting circles, he is a member of the Royal Victoria Yacht Club. On hearing of the distinction he had won, the club, through Secretary James Cameron, called the congratulations of fellow yachtsmen in the Cadboro Bay organization.

FISH LANDINGS SHOW INCREASE

Catch and Landed Value From British Columbia Waters Advances

OTTAWA, July 27 (CP).—Increase in catch and landed value on the Pacific Coast was shown in the fisheries returns for the Pacific Coast in May last, but declines were reported for the Atlantic Coast.

Aggregate catch of all varieties for the five sea fisheries provinces, 1,007,700 hundredweights, in round figures showed a slight gain, advancing by some 7,800 hundredweights as compared with the corresponding month in 1939.

Lower prevailing prices on the Atlantic Coast, especially in lobster fishery, together with a reduction in catches of some of the more valuable varieties of fish, pulled down aggregate landed value to \$1,712,900, a decline of some \$105,000.

All told, the British Columbia production for the month was 68,000 hundredweights, with a landed value of \$376,000, a gain of almost 20,000 hundredweights in catch and \$81,000 in value.

Increased halibut catches were responsible for the major portion of the gain in landed value. Salmon landings for the month in the Pacific province, 9,100 hundredweights, were off about 1,000 hundredweights, and landed value of salmon, \$96,000, was some \$8,000 below that of May, 1939.

ATLANTIC COAST

Analysis of the Atlantic Coast results showed, Prince Edward Island, catch up, landed value down; Quebec, catch down, value greater; Nova Scotia, catch down slightly value down; New Brunswick, catch and value down.

In Nova Scotia halibut and lobster catches declined sharply in comparison with May, 1939, with mackerel and alewife catches also down. Cod and haddock catches, on the other hand, were up, but failed to compensate for the drop brought about by the lessened halibut catch and a sharp decrease in lobster prices.

FRENCH BATTERIES FIRE AT R.A.F. PLANE

VICHY, France, July 27 (CP).—French anti-aircraft batteries last night opened fire when a plane, described as a Royal Air Force craft dropping pamphlets, appeared over this provincial capital of the Petain Government last night. The plane, which had approached Vichy in a fog, apparently flew off without being hit.

WEDNESDAY OUTING

The combined land and water outing of the Vancouver Island Coach Lines and the Gulf Islands Ferry scheduled for Wednesday, July 31, will embrace a coach ride from Victoria to Swartz Bay, where the M. C. Peck is boarded for a cruise through the Gulf Islands. For this week the water portion of the outing will be around Salt Spring Island, with stops at Vesuvius Bay and Burgoyne Bay.

Little Donald (aged six)—Mother, I'm going to work hard at school and get a scholarship to Jack's school. And then I'm going to get a scholarship to the Grammar School. Then I shall get a scholarship to Oxford; and when I've finished at Oxford I'm going to drive a motor bus.

MINTAKA WON SECOND RACE

Ashe Cup Event Sailed in Brisk Breeze Yesterday Afternoon

In a brisk southwest breeze, with the odd brisker squall thrown in for good sailing measurement, the star Mintaka won the second race of the series for the Ashe Cup in the sole scheduled racing event at Cadboro Bay yesterday.

Right from the start, Skipper Barrett took the lead from the other three stars and from then on it was just a question of how much he could outdistance his rivals over the triangular course—from the clubhouse dolphin to Cattle Point, to the beach mark, to the starting point, twice around.

Second place went to Aquila, Skipper Packford, who made a good sailing fight to best the veteran Barrett, but just couldn't seem to overhaul him. Rippler (Hauke) finished third, and Boykin (Blandy) finished in fourth position, although at the completion of the first round Boykin was in third place.

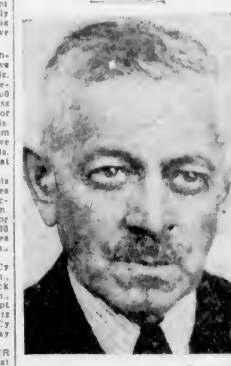
In a match race, two snipes sailed over a shorter course from the clubhouse dolphin to Patterson Point, to beach mark, to finishing line, twice around. Ishkoodah (Evans) finished first, displacing Peican (Moran), which had led the first round.

The race for the star boats started at 3 p.m., with the snipes getting the gun five minutes later. Finishing times were as follows: Mintaka, 4:10:05; Aquila, 4:12:28; Rippler, 4:13:32; Boykin, 4:15:42.

B. B. Temple was starter, with Secretary James Cameron timekeeper.

TRAVEL BUREAU HEAD TO SPEAK

Major J. Gordon Smith Will Address Rotary Club On Tourist Trade



CLUB CALENDAR

MONDAY—Gyro Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

TUESDAY—Kiwanis Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

THURSDAY—Rotary Club luncheon meeting, Empress Hotel, 12:10 p.m.

Major J. Gordon Smith, commissioner of the British Columbia Travel Bureau, will speak to the Rotary Club on Thursday on "The Tourist Trade and Its Value."

Kiwanis will also hear a well-known local speaker on Tuesday when Bruce A. McKelvie, writer, historian and leading authority on British Columbia, addresses the luncheon meeting.

Members of the Gyro Club will inspect the plant of the Sidney Roofing & Paper Company, Limited, after lunch on Monday and will be shown around by Logan Mayhew, vice-president.

SUSPENDING PAYMENT OF BRITISH CREDITS

VICHY, July 27 (CP).—The French Government ordered banks, credit establishments and exchange offices throughout the country and French possessions, today to suspend payment on reimbursement to British subjects of any credits or holdings in their favor.

The action, it was announced, is retaliation for similar action against French holdings in Britain, which grew to large proportions before the French collapse when the two countries were pursuing a joint economic policy.

He was an ordinary sort of a chap, and it embarrassed him to think that all these people would rise to attention the moment he approached. He was sensitive, and he really disliked all this fuss on his account—especially as he knew that the move was not really popular, and that only a sense of duty impelled his fellow-citizens to stand when his arrival was signalled. He wished it was possible to avoid it all, but it was always the same—whenever he entered a cinema it seemed that the only seats available were right in the middle of the row.

MARION Beatrice Fenwick, Shawanigan Lake (left), and Doris E. M. Walker, Royston, seem happy in their uniforms of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Air Force. In letters to Captain H. Seymour-Riggs, they tell of their experiences and that they are altogether satisfied with the duties allotted to them.

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Lucky for Love

By JANE DIXON

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CHAPTER VII
"Don't raise your blood pressure about expenses, Chief," Al Martino said. "I've kept within the limit. You know the game. We go into a night club. I slip the head waiter a five spot to pass around the word there's a beauty prize-winner in the dump and to point her out. Right away the he-bees in the dump begin to buzz around. Chief, this Millville blonde can pick up more suckers than Oregon has apples. Especially the bald suckers."

Palmer Watson roared with laughter. "What's wrong with her taking 'em if they ask to be took?" he managed, between roars. "We didn't bring her up here to keep her in hiding, did we? She's not Little Goldilocks. Er—that reminds me, how old is she? We don't want any stuff about minors."

"Don't worry. There'll be no Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children angle. She's twenty-four. Told me she was twenty when she signed up for the contest. Her kid brother spilled the beans. She got her age mixed up with her sister's, that's all."

"Umm. Sister? Not a beauty bouquet, huh, like this one?" "Chief, the backward blonde's sister makes her look like a morning-after garden. She's the sweetest, cleanest—aw, what's the use? You can't describe a girl like Marilyn Marsh. Old Webster just hasn't got the words."

"Aha! I now we have it." The Chief was immensely pleased with himself. "The sister. He talks like a brick house—in the sister. So he gets leary. He thinks maybe the beautiful blonde will cut too many capers. Maybe he can't handle her family. Am I right, my boy? Do I have it?"

Al moved from the corner of the desk to a lacquer red leather chair resembling a cavern. "You win," he said. "My new torch song 'I Left My Heart in Millville.' I'm serious this time, Chief. That's why I'm asking you to give me a transfer. I don't like the way Blondie trots. Last night we dropped into the Blue Parrot, you know, that hot-tottery joint in East Fifty-fourth. I slipped the head waiter the usual five, he went into his act right away a Good Time Charlie showed up at our table. He started feeding Blondie champagne cocktails. Chief, the way that gal can lap up champagne cocktails is a panic. Like water from the old oaken bucket. I saw she was starting to fuz, so I asked her to take a

wanted to know. "Put it in the name of your lawyer?"

"My lawyer is out of town. I put half of it in bonds in the name of William Marsh, Jr. They will mature at the time Bill goes to college. Any objections?"

"Of course not, foolkin." The depth of her friendship was in Sally's eyes. "It's great, you being able to help Bill. He's a cute kid, even if he is, your brother. But half a thousand—that leaves five hundred, the way I was taught arithmetic. What about subtracting the price of a dress from the remaining five hundred? What about the blue and silver net we raved about in the Bon Ton? It's a sample, a real one, not a phony. Sophie in the dresses told me it's such a small size no one has been able to wiggle into it. You said yourself it was the size you wear. They've put it on the sale rack, practically giving it away. Lynn, please nab it the first thing in the morning, will you, and go to the bath?"

"Sally, you're a dear for wanting me to go, but I can't. I'd rather not, honestly. You know I'm helping dad fix up our house. It needs dozens of things done to it. Nothing fancy, just repairs."

"I suppose house-fixing does run into money. But listen, Santa Claus, aren't you going to break down? Aren't you going to buy anything for yourself?"

Marilyn's smile faded. "I was waiting for that. Of course I'm buying something for myself. Something simply stupendous. Something I've wanted so much it hurts. Gipsy!"

"Lynn, you're torturing me." Sally rolled her eyes. "Tell me what it is this minute. You know I'm no good at guessing games."

"Very well, if you'll promise not to pester me again about the charity ball. Promise?"

"I'll try. Heaven knows I'll try. I'm going to work only part time at the Bon Ton this winter. The manager has agreed to keep me part time. I'm going to Millville Academy. You remember I took shorthand and typewriting in high school. It's just a skeleton course, so I'm planning to build on the framework I have, take a real course. I've registered for a course in English. Now you know why I'm not buying a new evening dress."

Sally swallowed a blob of ice cream so large it choked her. "Well, she spluttered, 'I want back to the campus. If I didn't love you so much I'd turn green and envy would come from my pores. What's your ambition, Miss Marsh? Private secretary and marry the boss?'"

"If he handsome and doesn't dunk his doughnuts. Seriously, I'm not aiming at any particular mark—not yet. Just shooting in the general direction of bigger and better work."

(To Be Continued.)

Plays and Players

"Typhoon" Is Romantic Drama of South Seas

"Typhoon," the dramatic story of a tropical cyclone and tempestuous romance, which is now showing at the Capitol Theatre, stars Dorothy Lamour and Robert Preston, who are supported by Lynne Overman, J. Carroll Nash and Koko, Dorothy's trained chimpanzee.

Action starts with the opening scene, when a sailing vessel founders in raging seas, and Dorothy is the sole survivor. As a little girl, she lands on an uninhabited South Sea island, far from regular shipping lanes. Ten years later, Robert Preston and Lynne Overman, who are fleeing in their pearl-hunting submarine from a bloodthirsty Polynesian chief, are the first visitors to her paradise.

Robert Preston gets lost, but is located and virtually captured by Dorothy. Meanwhile, Lynne Overman's Kanaka crew, fearful of the storm season, and led by J. Carroll Nash, mutiny. They take the submarine, marooned, Lynne and Bob are gleeful when they see a strange ship approach, but it proves to be their enemy! Dorothy hides the hunt, but then the chief spreads

oil on the shoreline and burns the island. Suspense caps suspense, and then the climax bursts upon them, as a tropical typhoon surges in. More magnificent in awful splendor than the actual filming of the world's worst storms, this man-made hurricane surpasses all similar photography.

AGA KHAN LOSES STABLES IN FRANCE

ALEXANDRIA, July 27 (AP).—Close associates of the Aga Khan, spiritual leader of a sect of Mohammedans in India and East Africa, and of his son, Prince Ali Khan, said today their racing stables in France have been seized by the Germans. The Prince, who recently resigned his commission in the French army in Syria, is now in Egypt.

WINONA, Miss. (AP).—Attorney and former "professor of political science," Rupert Rindold has been nominated as mayor of this town for practical experience.

A Scene From "Typhoon"



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Cumberland Bowler Wins Bowser Trophy—Johnny Christie Victorious

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Two championship titles were carried off by Vancouver Island entries when Bill Mossey led his Cumberland rink to a 2-13 victory in the Bowser Trophy final over George Watt's Vancouver quartette, and Johnny Christie, of Nanaimo, captured the Seaton "B" singles by rolling out a 15-14 triumph over Hubert C. Woodcock, of Vancouver.

Harry Waterfield, another sharpshooter from Cumberland, was outclassed in the final of the Seaton "A" singles by Dick Adam, of the Terminal Club, Vancouver, who chalked up an 18-11 victory.

The International Trophy was won by United States rinks, defeating Canada's 146-117 in the annual match.

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OUTPUT OF PLANES TO BE TREBLED

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ment this session. Opening in the House of Commons on Monday, the debate may run into two days. The stage that is being set is for Prime Minister King to lead off, with the heavy artillery in the Cabinet all to make long statements. Defence Minister Ralston, Air Minister Power, National War Services Minister Gardiner and possibly others in the front row of the Government benches will speak, in addition to Mr. King.

NO SECRET SESSION

There will be no secret session of Parliament, but on the contrary, according to Government spokesmen, the Government intends to stretch the point in going as far as possible, without jeopardizing the war effort, in a full disclosure of achievements and plans. On how far this promise is carried out will depend the forcefulness of the speech of Conservative Leader Hanson and his followers.

Conservative senators and members alike have been protesting vigorously that the Government has not taken the country into its confidence. There has been a very substantial element among the Government's own supporters also who feel that, with prorogation expected on Thursday, they are being sent home "in the dark."

TRAINING PLANS

Regulations governing the calling out of men for compulsory training for home defence under the Mobilization Measure will also be laid on the table of Parliament. Two important features will be announced, it is indicated, to safeguard industry from being disturbed. Men will be trained in camps for thirty days only, not forty or sixty as has been forecast. Those in the different categories will be called out in batches of 30,000 at a time, the first

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"Isn't Wireless Wonderful," says a headline. Quite so. Think of the crooners and things you can silence by just turning a knob.

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MIDDLE WEST GETS RELIEF

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set when 118 inches fell within a twenty-four-hour period, most of it within six hours this afternoon.

DRAINS TAXED

Fewer drains throughout the city were taxed beyond capacity and many drains were raging rivers within a short time. Water rose up over sidewalks and flooded many ground-floor stores in outlying sections. Hundreds of basements were filled with the flood water.

Street crews and the fire department were called into service to open drains and clear the streets for traffic. Youngsters in bathing suits had a field day, splashing about in front of their homes.

The rain was general and uniformly heavy throughout the region, soaking the under-dry forests and extinguishing all forest fires.

TO BAN PRIVATE CARS

VICHY, France, July 27 (AP).—A decree shortly will be presented to the French Cabinet forbidding the use of private automobiles functioning on petroleum products, the Ministry of Industrial Production and Labor said today.

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PLAYERS APPEAR IN SPIRIT FORM

"Beyond Tomorrow," Starring Jean Parker and Richard Carlson, New Feature at Plaza

Paired for the first time, Jean Parker and Richard Carlson will be seen as the romantic leads in R.K.O. Radio's newest screen hit, "Beyond Tomorrow," which opens tomorrow at the Plaza Theatre. Other members of the all-star cast include Charles Winninger, Maria Ouspenskaya, Helen Vinson, C. Aubrey Smith and Harry Carey.

"Beyond Tomorrow" is being acclaimed as one of the most entertaining and unique films of the year; entertaining because of the deftly woven love story built around the too rapid success of a young singer, played by Carlson, whose love is sought by Jean Parker, the sweet unsophisticated girl, and Helen Vinson, the selfish, cold-blooded type. The uniqueness lies in the fact that three players are seen in the picture in spirit form.

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Market Manages To Keep Balance On Wall Street

All Fracinae (in English)		Bid	Asked
Allied Chemical	146	146.4	
Allis-Chalmers	29	30.4	
American Can	9	9.7	
American C & L	47	5	
American P & L	3	3.4	
U.S. Indus. Alconol	18	18.2	
U.S. Rubber	76	76.78	
U.S. Rubber pld	76	76.78	
U.S. Smeltine	46	46.49	
U.S. Steel	51	51.1	
Vanadium	29	30	
Warner Bros.	1	1.1	
Westinghouse Electric	2	2.1	
Western Union	12	12.6	
Woodworth	33	33.23	
Zenith Radio	10	10.6	

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United Steel	2 1/2	4	100
Abilene	75	100	4
Abilene, Ind.	10	100	4
Alabaster	16	17	4
Bethlehem	10	100	4
Bethlehem, Pa.	10	100	4
Canada & Dominion Sugar ..	25 1/2	25 1/2	4
Canada	10	100	4
Canada Vinegars	6	8	4
Canadian Breweries	120	130	4
Canadian Breweries, Pld ..	120	130	4
Canadian Vickers	12 1/2	13	4
Canadian Vickers, Pld	12 1/2	13	4
Consolidated	6 1/2	10	4
Cop Aircraft	6 1/2	10	4
Dunsmuir, Pld	4 1/2	5	4
Emery	10	100	4
Fairchild	2 1/2	2 1/2	4
Fish Aircraft	14	15 1/2	4
Ford, A.	14	15 1/2	4
General Electric, Pld	10	100	4
McCord, Pld	9 1/2	10	4
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Pace Henry	20 1/2	20 1/2	4
Phillips	10	100	4
Hiram Walker	37	36	4
Hiram Walker, Pld	19	19	4

Ranks	
Bank of Commerce	140
Bank of Montreal	140
Banque Canadienne Nationale	140
Bank of Montreal	140

Sydney	1915	42 1/2	40
Above prices in New York			

Metal Markets

NEW YORK, July 27, 4P.—
 Lead, steady, electrolytic, spot, 60¢.
 Specie, steady, 107 1/2-113 1/2, spot.
 Tin, steady, spot, 100.
 Zinc, steady, spot and near, 51 1/2-52 1/2.
 Lead, steady, spot, New York, 50 1/2-50 5/8.
 Zinc, steady, East St. Louis, 51 1/2-52 1/2.
 Pig iron, aluminum, antimony, quiescent, platinum, Chinese wire and domestic sheet, unchanged.

MONTREAL, July 27 (CP).—Sp

Canada, 1945	86.00	88.50
C.P.R. 3%, 1951	86.00	86.50
Dominion Tr. 4%, 1951	101.00	101.50
Gasline Power 3%, 1949	100.50	102.25
Maple Leaf 3%, 1959	86.00	86.50
Norfolk Patricia 4%, 1954	62.00	65.50
Ontario-Provincial 4%, 1949	97.50	100.00
Rainwater 4%, 1961	88.50	89.50
Simons's Ltd. 4%, 1951	99.00	99.50
Union Grain Corp. 4%, 1948	89.50	89.50

gold in London was unchanged
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TRADERS IDLE IN WHEAT MARKET

	73%	73%	73%	73%
Barings—				
July	74%	74%	74%	74%
Oct	75%	75%	75%	75%
Dec	76%	76%	76%	76%
Cal				
July	76%	76%	76%	76%
Oct	77%	77%	77%	77%
Dec	77%	77%	77%	77%
Rev				

Dom. Bond	47 1/2	47 1/2	47
Dom. Bond	46 1/2	46 1/2	46

Dominion Bond

These prices are obtained from the office of the Dominion Government Poultry Production Inspection Service, Victoria, G2.

preferred, 1 3-4 per cent; common, 7 1/2 cents; both payable August 1 to shareholders of record August 1.

Kerr Lake Mines, 8 cents, payable in United States currency September 4 to shareholders of record August 20.

Banque Canadienne Nationale

Banks and paper were firm. Royalite sold up to 23, gaining more than a point; Home finished unchanged at 1.65, and Brown and Pacalta were down slightly.

Nipissine	81	
Noranda	56 75	1 00
O'Brien	75	24
Power Roun	70	74
Paymaster	23	24
Pend Oreille	1 20	1 37
Perron Gold	7 40	1 50
Pickle Crow	2 40	2 50
Pioneer	1 75	1 00
Premier	75	83
Rebo	4	16
Royalite Oil	20 00	

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VANCOUVER QUOTATIONS		Home Oil		1 64	1 70
(Boorman Investment Co. Ltd.)		Madison		0 15	0 16
Mining		McIntosh		0 05	0 06
		McDowall Secur		0 04	0 05
		Mill City		1 42	1 43
		Model		1 70	1 70
		Monarch		0 12	0 14
		Monarch Petroleum		1 11	1 14
		Nadavita		0 04	0 05
		Pacific Petroleum		2 10	2 11
		Prairie Royalties		12 10	12 11
		Radium		1 00	1 01
		Cariboo Gold		1 99	2 00

Hamilton Bridge		7	3	
Hiram Walker Com.		2	36	
Imperial Oil		19	10 1/2	
Imperial Tobacco		1	12	
Intl. Nickel		22	22	
Intl. Petroleum		14	15	
Lake of the Woods		1	16 1/2	
Laura Secord		9		
Manser-Harris		2	4	
McCol-Printemps		2	6	
Nashua Steel Car		20	1 1/2	

MONTREAL, July 27 (CP).—Silver and then one of the scholars raised futures closed unchanged today. No a hesitating hand, "Goas on t' dole. sales. Bid: July, 37.75. he hazarded.

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TEN NEW HOMES ARE UNDER WAY

Oak Bay Leads Construction During Week With Six Permits

In the three suburban districts surrounding the city, permits for ten new homes issued during the past week represented a value of \$29,950. Oak Bay was in the lead with six permits valued at \$21,350. Saanich issued three permits with a value of \$5,100, and Esquimalt one permit representing \$2,500.

The six new homes planned in Oak Bay comprise a six-roomed house at 458 Monterey Avenue for L. A. Fowen; for W. Long, a six-roomed house at 2684 Dewdney Avenue; for T. Haddon, a five-roomed dwelling to cost \$3,300 at 880 St. Patrick Street; at 2684 Dufferin Avenue, a six-roomed home costing \$4,250 for T. Lambie; a five-roomed house to cost \$3,500 to be erected by V. L. Leigh at 2544 Birch Drive; for H. M. Cowper, at 2182 Heaver Street, a five-roomed dwelling costing \$2,800.

SAANICH HOUSES
Saanich issued seven permits amounting to \$9,550, of which three were for new homes totaling in value \$5,100. The houses include a four-roomed house to cost \$2,000 for Mrs. Rowe on Holland Avenue; for P. G. McCarthy on Holland Avenue a four-roomed dwelling costing \$1,600; for George P. Vent a four-roomed home costing \$1,500 at Newton Street and Fort Bay Road. In Esquimalt James Veitch is

erecting a five-roomed house at a cost of \$2,500 on Willington Street.

Military Activities

Battalion orders by Lieut.-Col. F. B. J. Stephenson, Officer Commanding, 3rd Bn. The Canadian Scottish Regiment (N.P.A.M.), for week ending August 2, 1940.

Part 1

Parade—The battalion will parade on Monday, Wednesday and Friday July 29, 31 and August 2 at 19.45 hours at the Armouries, Victoria, B.C. Squads will fall in under their own instructors.

Orderly Officer—Orderly officers for week ending August 2, 1940: Lieut. W. B. Wilson. Next for duty: Lieut. D. E. Smith.

Detailed for Duty—Recruiting—The following officers are detailed for the duty of handling and attending recruits: Saturday, July 27, (afternoon), Major A. T. Stewart, 2nd Lieut. A. Wright, 2nd Lieut. J. E. Balsom; Saturday, July 27, (evening), Capt. W. B. Lambert, Lieut. H. W. Melish, 2nd Lieut. A. Prebble; Monday, July 29, (evening), Capt. A. H. Brand, 2nd Lieut. E. H. Cabellu, 2nd Lieut. W. Munro; Tuesday, July 30, (evening), Capt. B. Okell, M.C. Lieut. B. H. Lamont, 2nd Lieut. D. Hagar; Wednesday, July 31, (evening), Capt. C. Martin, 2nd Lieut. D. I. G. Palmer, 2nd Lieut. D. E. Smith; Thursday August 1, (evening), Major A. T. Stewart, 2nd Lieut. A. Wright, 2nd Lieut. A. Prebble; Friday, August 2, (evening), Capt. W. B. Lambert, Lieut. H. W. Melish, 2nd Lieut. J. E. Balsom. R. B. MATTHEWS, Captain and Adjutant, 3rd Bn. The Canadian Scottish Regiment (N.P.A.M.).

SHOWERS HELP B.C. FORESTERS

Public Asked to Continue Care in Woods for Balance of Summer

"Scattered showers have occurred in all forest districts, relieving the hazardous conditions that have prevailed for the last six weeks. Fire occurrence during the week was heavy, owing largely to lightning storms in the Interior, but accompanying showers made it possible to control most outbreaks before they spread." C. D. Orchard, assistant chief forester for the province, said yesterday in discussing the forest fire situation in British Columbia.

Vancouver, Prince Rupert, Fort George, Kamloops and Nelson forest districts all reported cooler weather with showers as the week ended, lessening tension in fire fighting crews. Total outbreaks crept up to 1,537 fires since the start of the season, compared with 675 fires in the corresponding period last year. During the last seven days, 359 fires were extinguished; but 177 others were still burning out of 299 new fires reported in the period.

The Provincial Forest Service closed its report with the following caution to the general public:

"With a month of Summer still ahead, the need remains for the utmost care with fires and smoking materials in the woods. A fire may smoulder for days and break out into disastrous proportions with a change in the weather or a high wind."

Rain Welcome in Southern Alberta

LETHBRIDGE, July 27 (C.P.)—The first general rain in more than two months brought long-awaited moisture to filling wheat crops and sugar beets in Southern Alberta today.

A storm started last night and swept the entire southern portion of the province, from Parkland and Nanton into Montana, and from the Rockies into Southwestern Saskatchewan.

Early today readings ranged from half an inch up to two inches.

Twenty-Two Lost On Two Trawlers

LONDON, July 27 (C.P.)—Twenty-two men were lost on the two British trawlers sunk this week by enemy air attacks, the Admiralty announced today.

The sinkings were announced Thursday.

Two were killed and sixteen missing and presumed dead on the Kingston Oatena, and two killed and two missing and presumed dead on the Rodino.

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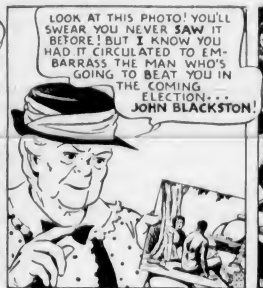


May Be a Guiding Angel

By Bud Fisher

MARY WORTH'S FAMILY

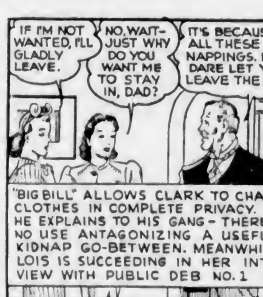
By Dale Allen



SUPERMAN

Not a Home Girl

By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster



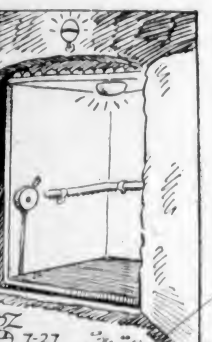
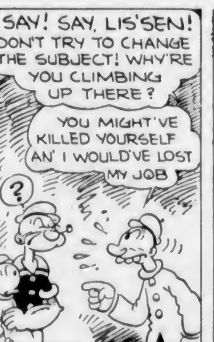
LIFE'S LIKE THAT - By Fred Neher



"We're gonna take a few shots at you, but don't worry... we're just practising!"



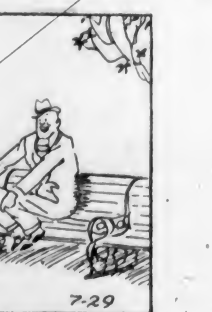
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After-Dark Occupation

By J. Millar Watt



BLONDIE

He'll Never Know the Difference

By Chic Young



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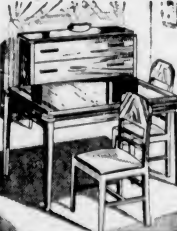
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6-PIECE SUITES—Buffet with glass china cabinet in centre, Extension Table and 4 Leatherette-Covered Chairs. Choice of ivory or natural finishes. 6 pieces

\$55.00

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6-PIECE MATCHED WALNUT SUITE—A beautiful combination Walnut Suite, consisting of Buffet, Extension Table and 4 Leatherette-Covered Chairs. Sale Price, 6 pieces

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Windsor Table and Four Chairs, finished in two-tone applewood

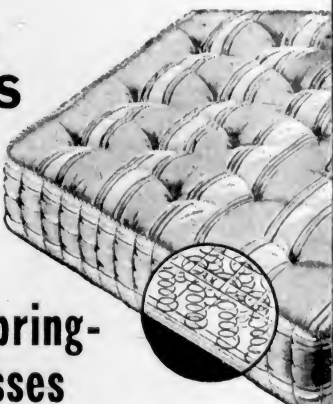
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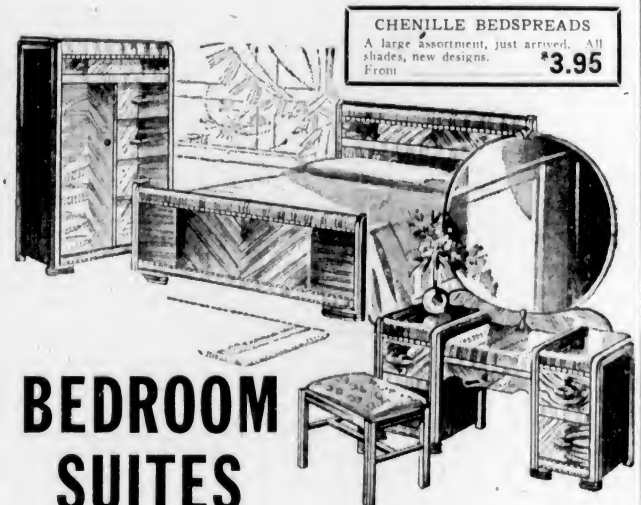
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Your Health and Your Weight

REDUCING WEIGHT KEEPS YOU YOUNGER

By JAS. W. BARTON, M.D.

You are surprised to see a friend in his early thirties who is acquiring the "middle-age spread." In other words, at the age of thirty his body has the appearance of that of a man of forty or forty-five. As a matter of fact, because of this spread due to overweight, he may actually be middle-aged from the standpoint of the life span. This is so true that life insurance companies, if they accept him at all, charge him at the rate charged those some years older. As far as the insurance companies are concerned, they have found that the heart, blood pressure, kidneys and other organs of the overweight undergo the same changes as that caused by the aging process due to passing years.

Harold A. Ley, Jr., B.A., statistician, Life Extension Examiners, New York, says: "Age and overweight are two factors frequently related to increasing blood pressure. Increasing age is inevitable, but overweight is not." That overweight increases the blood pressure, thus causing the individual to be older in body than his years, is shown by tables in which the relationship is shown between changes in weight and changes in blood pressure of 2,858 overweight and 658 normal weight individuals. The entire group was examined on five separate occasions at one-year intervals. This means that they were all five years older when the fifth and last examination was made.

By comparing the tables of the normal weight group with the overweight group, those of the normal weight group who gained weight showed less increase in blood pressure than did the corresponding class in the overweight group. Also the normal weight people who lost substantial amounts of weight showed much greater reductions in blood pressure. This means that overweight not only increases the blood pressure but even when weight is reduced the percentage of reduction is less than in those of normal weight.

The percentage of increase in blood pressure was greater, the greater the degree of increase in weight. However, the good news for overweight people is that the percentage of reduction in blood pressure was greater, the greater the degree of reduction in weight.

Another outstanding fact that shows the great advantage to health and to length of life of reducing the weight was that while the natural increase for five years in blood pressure is two millimetres in systolic pressure and one in diastolic, overweight people who lost just 2 per cent of their weight had an average increase in pressure of just one and a half systolic and one-half diastolic. Those who were determined enough to reduce their weights by from 6 to about 20 per cent reduced

their pressure by the greatest amounts. In fact, they actually reduced their blood pressures from the time of the first examination despite the fact that they were five years older.

The conclusions from the examination of these 2,858 overweight and 658 normal weights (total of 3,516) are:

1. After a reduction of 5 per cent or more of weight, the blood pressures were found to be reduced despite the fact that those examined were five years older.
2. Increase in weight showed greater increases in blood pressure than might be attributed to advancing age.
3. The older and more overweight ones were more successful at reducing their weights and their blood pressures.
4. Loss of weight in normal people showed greater reductions in blood pressure than did similar losses in the overweight group.

Gain in weight among the normal weight people showed less increase in blood pressure than similar gains among the overweight. The lesson is plain. Overweights, by reducing their weight, keep as young as their age. The old overweights can get even better results as regards blood pressure by reducing weight than can the younger overweights.

DISGUSTED

It was at a first aid lecture and the doctor had just asked a listener what he would do if he had rescued a man from drowning.

"Lay him on his chest and apply artificial respiration," was the reply.

"But," said the doctor, "what if the man had broken a rib?"

"Then I'd lay him on his back and use his arms to apply Sylvester's method."

"Yes," said the doctor, "but supposing his arms were broken, too?"

"Then," answered the man, "I'd throw the blighter back and let someone else find him."

"Our aunt used to come and see us every year—it was lovely."

"Didn't she come now?"

"No, she's living with us."

A Missionary in the Yukon

By HARRY E. MARTIN



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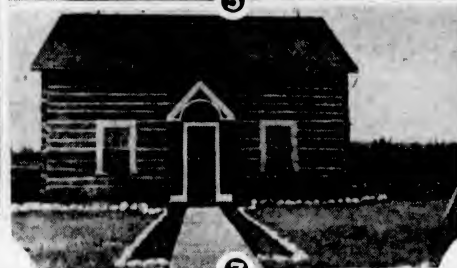
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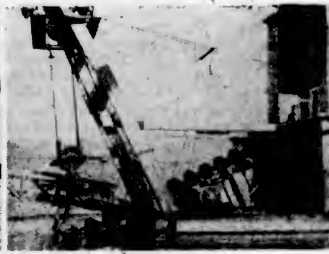
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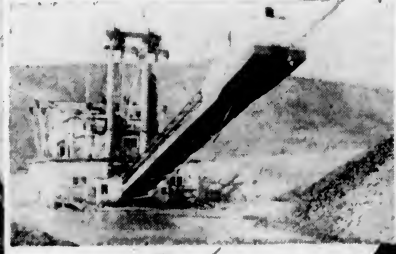
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AFTER an absence of over four years, Rev. Robert (Bob) Ward, who has been doing missionary work among the Indians in the Yukon Territories, returned to visit his family here in Victoria at 1727 Emerson Avenue. Mr. Ward, who was at one time a Colonist carrier boy, dropped into the office to renew old acquaintances and, on being questioned, illustrated the vast change in manner of living that there is between the Yukon and when working for this newspaper and living in Victoria.

With his headquarters at Fort Selkirk, on the Yukon River, Mr. Ward is provided with a nicely furnished log cabin as a vicarage. Over a hundred years old, the cabin is chinked with clay and mud, remaining firm until even now, and affording a snug retreat at such times as he may use it. But with his district stretching along the Yukon River, from Lower Labarge to the outskirts of Dawson, "Bob" Ward has little time to spend in Fort Selkirk.

Once or twice each year Mr. Ward makes a complete trip over his entire parish, taking three or four months to accomplish. Starting from Fort Selkirk, the minister is taken upstream on one of the stern-wheel paddle wheelers that ply the river, bringing with him all his equipment and canoe. Once arrived at Lower Labarge, and after holding his service and school there as long as time permits, he simply packs his duffle into his canoe and drifts downstream with the current until he reaches the next settlement, of Indians or whites, which will justify setting up his school. A few weeks will be spent with them, and then Rev. Ward drifts on to another colony along the river, where the procedure is repeated.

Carrying only a tent and a couple of tent-flies in the way of shelter, the minister officiates at his combined school and church under canvas, with his pupils varying in age from sixteen to sixty, and including Indians and whites. "Even as pupils in city schools," said Rev. Ward, "there are dullards and bright boys; but it is somewhat startling at first to note the person wearing the 'dunce' cap is old enough to be your father."

Officiating at schools, churches, acting as adviser and confidant, performing weddings, baptisms, and conducting funeral services, even sometimes acting as medi-

cal dispenser, are all parts of the life of a missionary.

Transport Difficulties

ALTHOUGH there is a highway that leads into Yukon Territory, intended to facilitate transportation between the towns of the district, it is barely usable even in winter. Built over muskeg, only when the ground is frozen hard is the road usable, and then it is usually snow-filled. Transportation in the Territories is confined to the employment of age-old facilities and the plane. Boats of all kinds, dog teams, the airplane, and a fairly recent innovation, the "cat" train, are the major means of transportation.

Boats are of various standard types. Starting from the canoe, the primary means of transport in the country, the next in the steps upward is the inboard gas boat. This may vary in length and shape, but one peculiarity common to all gas boats that travel the river over any distance is the odd, high-turned prow that projects over the water in such a manner and in such an easy slope it acts as a gangway to the shore, over the mud with which all the rivers in the district seem bordered. And the final step in water transport is the paddle-wheel steamer. With its huge paddle wheel churning at the stern, the boat is indeed highly reminiscent of the Mississippi steamer, after which it was modeled. Its shallow draught is ideal for the northern rivers, that are alternately extremely shallow and very deep. Navigating the

rapids and fast waters of the rivers, the boat is ideal for northern navigation, being readily controlled and easily repaired.

"Mentioning paddle wheelers," said Rev. Ward, "reminds me of an incident that happened to me, in my first year in the North. That year it so happened that there was a meeting of the clergy of the district called in Dawson. There were five of us up my way, all further out along the Yukon than myself. In taking the boat to Dawson, therefore, I was the last aboard. And no sooner did I, the fifth minister, board the boat than apparently it figured it was just too much and sank

in the next rapids it came to. The water was only some eight to ten feet deep, so no danger was incurred by the passengers. In sinking, the back of the boat broke, and the bow swinging upward, forming a miniature breakwater, turning the full sweep of the current to either side. It was fortunate it did so, else the entire super-structure might have been swept away.

"Queerly enough, ever after that, I apparently 'jinxed' the boat that was run in the place of the one that sank. That is, until this year, when I finally managed to make the trip out without anything happening. But previously, every time

the crew saw me waiting to get on, they would sadly unpack their clothes again and prepare for a long trip. Something was sure to happen. And it always did."

A fairly new addition to travel in the North in winter is the "cat" train. This is a train of several large sleds that are pulled by a caterpillar tractor along the frozen river surface and across lakes. It is a slow, miserable, bitterly cold way in which to travel, but fairly certain of attaining one's destination. Once started, the "cat" never stops until the goal is reached, traveling all night with its huge headlights piercing the darkness ahead, and all day with its crew walking alongside to keep warm.

In the late spring and early fall is the perilous time for the "cats." Then the ice is liable to have unnoticed weak spots in it. It was for that reason the enclosed cabs on the "cats" were abandoned, as when a weak spot is found in the ice by the tractor no notice is given, but the entire equipment sinks to the bottom, with the driver formerly trapped inside the cab with no chance to jump clear. Now small huts are carried on the last sled, like caboose, where alternate drivers may warm up after their freezing shift behind the engine.

Should the tractor sink through the ice to the bottom of the lake or river, it is not abandoned. A line is immediately made fast to it and it is winched back up on to the ice. There it is disassembled, dried, reassembled and put into operation

- 1—The view "uptown" from the mission house, showing, in order, Taylor & Durie store, trapper's house, police station, postoffice, warehouse, and Hudson's Bay store.
- 2—The type of boats used around Fort Selkirk, showing the long, "rained bow," enabling them to bridge river bank mud.
- 3—The church and the mission school.
- 4—Trouble on McMillan River, necessitating immediate amateur repairs to the boat bottom (note mud along bank).
- 5—The Rev. Robert Ward, whose parishioners are reached by boat and dog team.
- 6—Travelers during the rapids of Miles Canyon, where a slip of the steering gear would dash the raft to pieces.
- 7—The mission house at Fort Selkirk, built in 1892 and still in excellent repair.
- 8—The log church at White Horse.
- 9—One of the "cats" of the caterpillar train being hauled from the chilly lake waters after plunging through a weak spot in the ice.
- 10—One of the dredge tailing stackers used in mining in the Yukon.
- 11—A frontal view of the giant dredge.
- 12—The new "Cascas" and the "Klondike," the river steamers in the Yukon, which carry a large percentage of all freight entering the country.
- 13—St. Andrew's Church, Fort Selkirk, with Rev. R. Ward at the door.
- 14—A view of White Horse, the major settlement in the country, taken from the nearby airport.
- 15—A typical group of the country's Indian inhabitants.
- 16—The telegraph men at Stewart, Ed Stewart and Dick Gooding, upon whom rests the responsibility of communication in the district.
- 17—The old "Cascas" just shortly after she sank after striking a rock in mid-river while running some fast water. She was later stripped and the hull hauled away from the course of travel.

as fast as it is humanly possible to do so. It usually takes from two to four days.

Hardships Commonplace

NOT only are the means of transportation one of the hardships of living in that great country, but there are hundreds of others. Perhaps the greatest tribulation man is called upon to bear there are the black flies. Swarming in dense clouds, they descend on a person and in no time at all bite him so thoroughly and weaken him so thereby that he dies. "Other difference between Fort Selkirk and Victoria, other than the lack of street cars," continued Rev. Ward, "is the food. Now, while practice will insure food being prepared so that one may get it down, it is

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The Triple Standard

By Ware Torrey

A WRECKING crew and a mild dust storm had been busy in her home while she was away, Linda reflected. Upstairs she set her suitcase outside the bedroom door.

In spite of her expectations she stopped aghast. A man couldn't possibly go through that many collars and shirts in a week's time. Tossed aside, they lay all around the room.

Pulling off her hat, Linda stopped at her dressing table. Directly in the centre was something that didn't belong there, a small arrogant perfume bottle. For one flash she thought that Tim had left it there, a welcome-home present. Then she saw it was half full.

Twenty years ago it would have been a hairpin, she thought. And in that mood, of mocking at a time-worn suspicion that could never touch her, she picked up the bottle. It was made of blue glass with a filigree of silver around it. She pulled out the silver knob and sniffed curiously.

"Ouch!" she said, sinking down on the bench. Any woman could make up the formula for that perfume: one part dusky languor, one part piquant challenge, one part promissory note.

She jammed the stopper in again and stared at the thing with more respect. It was sign and seal of someone who didn't belong to dot-to-dot-sophisticated Crestfield. What it was doing on her dressing table was peculiar, to say the least. But no doubt, she told herself firmly, there was a simple explanation. She put the bottle at the back of the dressing table and began to clear enough space around the room to unpack her own things.

The telephone rang. She picked up the extension receiver.

"Honey?" said Tim's quick voice.

Warm pleasure flooded her. "Yes—I just got in, Tim. You all right, darling?"

"I must have lost ten pounds. Never want to see baked beans again. It's swell you're back, Lin. And not just baked beans. Have a good time?"

"Grand. It was a smooth wedding and they make a good pair. I do wish you could have gone."

"Gosh, never with work piled up like this." His voice was crisp.

"You sound busy now, Tim. Want me to ring off?"

"Well, you know how things jam up. Oh, look, Lin, there's a dance at the country club tonight, and I said we'd go. I'll grab some food in town and get home in time to dress."

Replacing the receiver, Linda felt a chilled disappointment at his tone.

Then she launched herself into a whirl of house cleaning. Gradually her small house emerged, gracious and shining, from its clutter.

It was late afternoon when she finished, and she took a shower and put on a cool green negligee and was brushing her hair when the phone rang. That might be Tim again, she thought, and ran into the hall.

"Hello?"

"Linda—hello—" said a bubbling high voice. "It's Kitty."

"Oh, hello Kitty." Linda said, her shoulders relaxing and her hold on the receiver loosening.

"I'm so glad you're back." Kitty's words chimed with fervency.

Linda thought that over quickly. They were good friends, but they usually accepted each other's comings and goings with a more casual interest. "You've got the brass band out for me, haven't you, Kitty?"

"Oh, well—" Kitty said, retreating suddenly. There was a pause. "Enid has a friend visiting her, someone she went to college with."

Linda thought with certainty, that's what she phoned to tell me. "Yes?" she said aloud. "Nice?"

"Not very," Kitty said flatly. "Stunning-looking, though, with clothes I could die for, but not someone to have visiting you. Enid's plenty sorry, she asked her. Breakfast trays, and the orange juice has to be set in crushed ice. Enid said she never saw anybody leave so much powder on the floor; she thinks that after the gal takes a tub she must throw a box of powder in the air and then run and stand under it as it comes down."

Linda chuckled, an excellent effort. She was shocked at herself to find she wanted to ask what the visitor did for perfume. "What's her name?"

"Beryl Carr. She's been married off and on."

"Off, right now?"

"Yes," Kitty said with decision. "Well, anyway, you'll see her tonight. Tim said you'd be at the dance. When did you get in?"

"Awhile ago," Linda said. "But I've been cleaning out the tin cans."

"Oh, that reminds me. I'm sorry we couldn't have Tim over for dinner. But he was awfully busy. Well, see you tonight."

Linda went into the bedroom, sorting out her information without letting herself form a conclusion. There was a new woman in town and Tim was at least interested in her. That in itself was nothing to be troubled about, but this looked as though it might be serious. While she had been away something intense must have challenged Tim.

What she was worried about was how deeply he was involved. She knew perfectly well, staring at the blue bottle, that an emotional whirlwind could hit anyone, and there was no reason to think it couldn't hit Tim.

Well, she would have to wait, though patience seemed a thing she had mislaid somewhere. She made herself get up. Attacking her swirling curls, she brushed

until her hair lay smooth and shining. She put on the dress she had worn three days ago as matron of honor, a high-waisted print, full skirt sweeping the floor. She changed to little flat black sandals.

TIM's car whirled into the drive. Rising, Linda seized the perfume bottle and went out to the stairs. She was halfway down when the front door leaped open.

Tim, in the doorway, looked up at her. All the bright currents that he usually spun among, laughing and eager, were missing.

Coming toward her, he held her shoulders briefly and kissed her. "Dear Linda—" he said, looking at her face as though he were trying to understand its familiarity. "It seemed a long time."

He was changed, intensely held soberly back. He was being honest. So she said, "I missed you." Then, before he would have to answer that, "I've spent hours fixing the house."

He gazed around dutifully. "It looks slick," Linda kept the smile plastered on. "Oh, and I came across something while I was clearing the bedroom." She held out her hand, the perfume bottle lying against her palm.

Tim took it slowly. "I had a bunch of people in one evening. The girls went upstairs." He paused briefly. "I know whose this is. It belongs to someone you haven't met yet, a friend of Enid's." He looked at her directly. "I've seen her a bit this week."

"Then you'll give it back to her?" Linda made her voice even.

"Yes. Tonight," he said. "I'd better get dressed. Tim late."

When he came downstairs she glanced quickly at him. No wonder a woman would want him, she thought, a woman who went about dissatisfiedly, without peace, from man to man.

THEY went out to the car and Tim turned it with a neat long rush into the road. She didn't want to wade through conversational sawdust. Tim perhaps felt the same way. Or perhaps he had various things to think of. Beyond a few scattered sentences, just enough so there wouldn't be an uncomfortable blank, they drove to the country club in silence. As they walked to the door, Tim caught her arm casually, like any man on any steps.

Then she was inside and her friends swept down upon her, too close about her with their loyalty.

Enid reached her, worry in her sweet white-mouse face. "Linda, I'm so glad you're back."

"That's what Kitty said," Linda remarked. "It's good to see you, Enid."

Enid paused, uncertain what to say next. "Well—"

"I hear you're busy entertaining," Linda said, trying to cue her to lightness.

"Yes," Enid answered, groping. "Beryl Carr. But George says he's getting indigestion from company meals."

Tim muttered something and strode away from Linda. He headed directly into the ballroom, and Linda, looking through the doorway, saw Beryl. Her face had the certainty of a portrait, with pride and beauty laid on cream and ebony. Her dress was of white satin.

Linda looked until she saw Beryl lift her arms without a word and dance away with Tim. Beryl's expression did not change, as though there were no need for any conventional recognition.

Then Linda turned back to Enid and the others hovering around. "Tim is on vacation," she said. She watched their faces grow relieved. The others drifted toward the dance floor, till only Enid and her husband, George, were left.

"I don't know how to tell you how sorry I am, Linda," Enid said frankly. "I guess I forgot what she was like, when I invited her, or maybe I thought she'd got over it."

"Get over it in her grave," George murmured gloomily, wiping his forehead out of his eyes.

"Never your mind," said Linda. "I'll just chalk it up to experience. And pick up a few pointers, maybe, on the right line to divert Tim with."

"Goodness, I'm glad you take it like that," Enid exclaimed. "I've been worrying, when they were together all the time."

"Come on and dance, Linda," growled George, who was decidedly more perceptive than his wife. He swung Linda out on the floor. "I hate to talk while I dance," he added for good measure.

Linda gratefully let him take her into the music, looking out over his shoulder at the white walls encircling her, at the faces smiling at her that she had to smile back to, at the lights swooping toward her and away again. She fixed a smile on that would stay awhile without attention.

"Suppose you'd better meet her?" George asked suddenly.

"Yes," Linda answered.

TIM and Beryl suddenly floated into view, dancing slowly, not talking. They weren't dancing particularly closely together. They've got beyond that stage, Linda thought savagely; they're amusing themselves being cool, they know how.

George turned her so she couldn't see them any more. The music stopped. Couples merged and laughed and chattered.

"Now?" asked George. "There they are."

"All right," Linda answered from a dry throat.

She took a last long breath. Then they were facing Tim and Beryl, Tim expressionless. Beryl still with the proud face of the portrait.

"Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. Carr, our house guest," George said easily.

Linda and Beryl exchanged a correct

greeting. Beryl looked at Linda, estimating her openly and coolly. Linda looked back, estimating Beryl as frankly and, she trusted, as coolly.

The salute being over, Beryl Carr flicked her fan. "And you know Tim, of course?" she asked with incredible naturalness.

Tim's face changed briefly, as though something moved under the muscles. "This is my Mrs. Lawrence," he said calmly. "She's been away, you know."

"Of course, how stupid of me," Beryl said, placid and diverted. "I never bother with people's last names." She smiled unexpectedly at Linda. "He's nice, isn't he?" she remarked to Linda, generously sharing Tim with her.

This was too much for George. "The

music's beginning," he told Linda with decision. "Come on."

She was half the room away before she found conscious thought. Her breathing grew steadier and the room swung into focus. George was cursing with sultry success under his breath.

"Sounds good to me," Linda said wearily. "But I'm more appreciative of the way you got me out of that. Nice work."

"Nice work yourself," said George. "I'll have to do a bit more talking, though, before the evening's over."

"I don't see why you have to—," he began.

"Never mind," she interrupted. "Do you think there are a million people on the porch?"

"Not on the side porch," he said, taking her through the doors.

No one was there. The air was blessedly cool.

"You all right?" George asked uneasily. "I should like a glass of water," she said, needing room to think.

He went away and she sat on the balustrade with her back against a pillar. So that was Beryl. And she wanted plenty from Tim, and expected to get it; even the way her fingers touched his coat sleeve proved that. And Tim didn't seem to be coldly shouldering her off.

Linda looked off into the dark corners, seeing against them a neat little scene in which she told Tim that his happiness was her dearest wish. Not while she knew it. This was the sort of situation that got handled firmly, if the handle would stop spinning so she could get hold of it.

SHE struggled with the sick pain of realizing that this was Tim, letting trouble in upon her. If she were the one who had started to wander Tim would pull her back by the hair. She didn't want to, but that didn't make it fair for Tim to do as he pleased.

Nice, well-trodden ground I'm on, she reflected dully. Woman wants single standard, man wants double. There was more than that to the situation, though, more than their two points of view. There was Beryl, with a separate point of view, and obviously a forceful and effective one. Considering Beryl that way, Linda saw the whole setup differently. Beryl's desires, Beryl's intentions, couldn't be dismissed as an outsider's invasion. What this sort of thing amounted to was a triple standard, and the standard of the third party forced the situation.

Linda caught hold of the handle at last. She must stop running around in circles of resentment and pride and hurt. She must focus on Beryl as an accepted part of the issue, to be dealt with openly.

When George arrived with the water, she had her feelings firmly under hatches. "Did I take long enough?" George asked. "Beautifully timed, George."

"Want to go back, or want to stay here?" "We'd better go back. How about launching me on the floor and letting somebody pluck me away?"

"All right," said George.

She was cut in on soon after they started dancing, and after that the men she knew

best began to give her all the trimmings of a fast and furious rush. I haven't been so popular since I was married, she thought grimly. They were all doing a fine job of rallying to her defence, but the glare of publicity on her private misery hurt.

Tim and Beryl appeared on the floor from some more sheltered spot. Linda began to be aware that Beryl was watching her steadily, without effort to conceal the fact. Using that discovery as basis for a plan, Linda went to the dressing room.

On the way she asked Enid to make sure that if Beryl followed her, no one else would go in to interrupt them. Beryl wanted direct action, too, she believed.

INSIDE, sitting down before the mirror, she began to renew her lipstick with detailed slow care. No one was there but herself. No one came in. Then the door clicked and she saw white satin gleam. Her heart jerked. Zero hour.

"Counting up the damages?" Beryl's cool voice asked.

"Replacing them?" Linda answered. "Do you want the mirror?"

"No, I don't need it," Beryl said with insolent emphasis. Her powder lay in a smooth film; her lipstick made a wide mouth, so heavily outlined that the thin lips barely showed underneath.

Linda went on fixing her face, waiting for Beryl to open fire. Beryl had followed her there, as she had hoped; so Beryl must have something to say.

"I suppose you're in love with Tim," Beryl said finally.

"It would be customary, wouldn't it? Or haven't you usually been, when you got married?"

"There are so many different kinds of love," Beryl observed.

"Very true," said Linda. "Though you may have overlooked one or two. But don't you get tired of talking about love?"

"No," Beryl said.

"I did, in high school."

"Ah, well, you didn't go in for the advanced branches," Beryl drawled.

There's one I didn't see coming, Linda thought. But she was collecting weak points of the enemy: Beryl was vain of her success; Beryl believed herself more sophisticated than she was; Beryl enjoyed the role of trouble-maker.

"Are you in love with Tim?" Linda asked calmly in her turn.

Beryl looked at her then. "He's nice," she said in an appraising tone.

"You'll be the seventh, then," Linda remarked powdering her nose.

"Hm?" said Beryl.

"Women fall for Tim," Linda explained.

"He gives them a whirl, but not a very long whirl, and it doesn't cover much ground. The first time it happened I was a little annoyed. Then I realized that, after all, it was fun to have what other people wanted."

Beryl sat up, her heels clicking on the floor. "Did it ever occur to you that he might do more than have a whirl, as you call it, with somebody?"

"Oh, yes. I read modern books, you know."



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"All this is nonsense," said Beryl. Linda shut her compact with a sharp snap. "Do that," she said crisply. "Have you picked Tim as the next candidate for your chain-marriage project?"

She swung around, looking at Beryl's face, and the lovely portrait cracked into angry lines.

"Yes," Beryl said with acid.

"Then hurry up and get to work," Linda said briskly.

"What are you going to do about it?" "Nothing," Linda answered.

Beryl stared doubtfully for an instant. "You see," Linda continued, standing up, "Tim might get stirred up a bit if you worked hard. But if he ever got really serious about you, he wouldn't be worth much, and the sooner I got rid of him the better. Anybody who could want to marry you, I wouldn't wipe my shoes on." She smiled brightly at Beryl, looked her over and walked out.

LINDA stopped in the doorway of the ballroom, looking for Tim. Finally she saw him and moved to cross his line of vision.

"Lin," he said, cutting through a group of people to reach her. "I'm sorry I walked out on you for so long. Where've you been?"

"Out on the porch and around," she told him. "I haven't had much sleep all week. I think I'll go home early and get caught up."

"Lin—" He hesitated, first in solicitude, then in other disturbance.

"You stay," she said swiftly. "George and Enid will take me home."

He stood there, clearly distressed, pulled two ways. But not able to think his way through, she saw, watching the baffled look in his eyes, seeing his shoulder twist with nerves. He was deeply held in indecision, hating himself.

"Tim," she said, and when he looked at her, "Tim, take Mrs. Carr home. Because George will be gone, with Enid and me."

Then it lay clearly between them, almost acknowledged.

"Lin," he began, "I want to tell you—" "No," she said, stopping him before it could be said, irretrievably. "Tell me later."

She turned away without waiting for an answer. Now she had left him to Beryl and it was all done and she couldn't change it. If this feeling was suspense it was pure poison.

"There you are, Linda," Kitty said in her high voice. "I've been looking for you. Can you and Tim come over for bridge tomorrow night?"

Kitty was disturbed and trying to help, but suggesting bridge as ammunition for the situation was a little like offering pussy-willow buds for bullets.

"I haven't asked Tim what engagements he's made for us," she told Kitty. "Why don't you ask him?" That would put it up to him, she thought.

Linda went on, finding Enid and George, asking them if they minded leaving then with her, finally emerging with them into the darkness.

"You talked to Beryl?" Enid asked timidly as the car swung into the road.

"Yes, we talked," Linda replied. "But will you people understand if I don't say any more about it tonight?"

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Then he raised his head. His quick movement had his own rhythm. Something had caught him back entirely to himself that instant. "Good Lord," he exclaimed with horrified blankness. "Linda, I did the same thing to you. People staring, I mean. I never realized. But you had to take it. People being curious, wondering. Linda—I said I'd look after you, and look what I've done, Linda—"

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THEY both murmured reassuringly and Linda leaned her head back. By this time Tim and Beryl would be together.

A T her house they dropped her with repeated good-nights, and the tail-light flickered down the road. She sat down on the front steps. She didn't want to go in till Tim came back. She had done all she could. Now she had to wait for the election returns.

She had tried to build a fire under Beryl, she thought, to start an explosion and show Tim what Beryl was really like. She had tried to taunt her into a mistake. Maybe it would work. Maybe it wouldn't. It all depended now on what Tim really felt for Beryl.

As she sat there, her confidence drained away. After endless time she heard Tim's car.

Tim's footsteps sounded muffled, near her, on the grass.

"Hello, Tim."

"Good Lord!" he exclaimed.

"I forgot my key."

He didn't say anything for a moment. He sat down on the bottom step, in the dimness at the end, away from her.

Finally he spoke, in a level voice that gave no hint. "Beryl says you don't want me."

Linda said nothing.

"I wouldn't blame you, Lin."

Still she said nothing. She thought, what is he thinking? What has he decided?

"Beryl said you were tired of me, Lin."

"Beryl exaggerated."

There was a longer silence.

"Do you care about her?" she ventured.

Tim whirled around on the steps, caught her knees and gripped them. "Linda—honey—not like that. Lord, what have I done to you?" He dropped his head against her knees.

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The Defence of the Heart

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IT is the citizen's duty in time of war—unless he has been entrusted with some definite and dangerous task—to protect his body from injury; for an injured body is an inconvenience to the rest of the community. It is his duty also to protect his mind; for a mind disordered by rumor or diseased by propaganda is a source of infection to others. He should equip himself with a kind of mental gas-mask, a filter of healthy scepticism through which he can safely breathe in the miasma of lies and half-truths that hangs above the marsh of war. In body and mind most of us have by now learnt to protect ourselves; we are ready to troop obediently down to the shelter in the small hours, we turn a deaf ear to unconfirmed reports. So far, so good. But a human being is not a twist of two strands, he is a plait of three; and the worst danger that he has to face in wartime is not the maiming of the body nor even the warping of the mind, but the slow, insidious blunting of the heart.

On Our Guard

AGAINST this menace we cannot be too constantly on our guard. A slight toughening of the sensibilities is unavoidable, and indeed necessary, if we are to retain our reason in the face of the mounting horror and villainy which now surround us. But it is fatally easy to let this toughening process

Germany--The Nation That Prefers Guns to Health

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GERMANY, no matter how startling may appear her temporary triumphs, has already sown the seeds of her eventual destruction!

This fact is easily apparent to those who have studied the appalling indifference shown by her present leaders in regard to the physical, mental and moral health of the nation. It suggests that in the present conflict with what is realized as history's most terrifying example of ignorance and egotism in power, one of the most effective weapons will be forged by building up, in the free democracies, what Germany has deliberately torn down in the enslaved Reich: the health, the happiness and the efficiency of their people.

As part of its campaign to effect this consummation in the Dominion, the Health League of Canada presents a resume of conditions which have been deliberately fostered by the Nazi regime in Germany even before the present war. They have, of course, become worse since that time and will become progressively so as the war continues.

Once a Leader

BEFORE 1914, Germany was a leader in matters of health and the combatting of disease. Then came the war, and the health of the German civilian suffered from the condition of semi-starvation which their leaders had brought upon them. After peace was declared, Germany resumed her place in the leadership of all branches of science and in movements for the betterment of human health.

In 1933 Adolf Hitler and his Nazi Party assumed power, since when it has been their proudest boast that they have restored a weakened and unhappy people to health, strength, vitality and happiness. How much truth lies in that claim may be judged from the facts which follow. Authority for them is the recently published work, "Heil Hunger," by Dr. Martin Gumpert, former head of Berlin Dispensary for Deformity Diseases.

Childhood Diseases

RICKETS, a disease arising from lack of nutrition, is decreasing in all civilized countries. In Germany it is increasing at an appalling rate. In various German cities, the percentage of children showing symptoms of rickets is: anywhere from 55 to 96 per cent.

Scarlet fever had gone up from 79,830 cases in 1933 to 117,544 in 1937.

Diphtheria cases had increased from 77,340 in 1933 to 146,733 in 1937.

Infantile paralysis and spinal meningitis have kept pace with all other childhood diseases in their increase since Hitler came to power. Since rickets and other complaints leave the little sufferer open to attacks of dangerous diseases in later life, it is interesting to learn how the Nazis treat—

Tuberculosis

THE official dictum on the subject says: "It is necessary to harness the labor power of the tubercular by appropriate integration with the Labor Front. The basic principles for the totalitarian combatting of tuberculosis are, maintaining the working capacity of the tubercular, and the ruthless elimination of all anti-social tuberculars."

In other words, "No more sanatoria. All tuberculars to be placed in labor camps and worked to death. Those who become unable to work to be 'eliminated' more violently and directly."

And in spite of this way of stamping out the disease, Germany is among the few countries in which tuberculosis is on the increase. She has more than 1,500,000 cases today.

How German Workers Eat

ONE reason for Germany's failure to eradicate tuberculosis by the simple method of "ruthless elimination" is the deterioration of the German diet. Before 1914, the average German consumed about 3,385 calories a day. Recent statistics show that the average in 1937 was only 2,413 calories a day. A drop of 972 calories daily. Since that time it has dropped still lower.

Very little meat now is available to the worker, and what there is of inferior quality—sometimes unfit for human food. The result is that dysentery has gone up 300 per cent! There is a shortage of such things as butter, fats, eggs, potatoes and fresh fruit. Yeast is made from wood and "coffee" from oats. Fish protein and mineral oils are used in cooking. Land formerly devoted to agriculture has been given over to barracks, airdromes and drill grounds.

Calories, of course, are only one phase of this question of malnutrition. The loss of the even more important proteins, mineral salts and vitamins, as a result of eating sawdust bread, coal-tar chocolate and similar "super-Aryan" filth is inestimable.

Care of the Child

HITLER, a bachelor, is alternately lyrical and hysterical concerning the need for more sons for the Fatherland. That he is utterly callous as to the happiness of these much needed children is not surprising, but that he is not even intelligent in his treatment of them only from the standpoint of future cannon fodder is shown by some of the statements of Doctor Gumpert:

"All children belong to Nazi youth organizations from their sixth year on. The premature exertions of the long marches and military exercises undermine the growing organisms and contribute to the bone deformities which begin with rickets. A Nazi doctor says: 'More than 70 per cent of the youth of both sexes have splayed, twisted or flat feet. The frightful extent to which foot deformities interfere with the labor and military capacity of our people is known to every doctor.'"

In the universities, cases of heart disease among the students have increased alarmingly. Five years ago, the number of those unfit for physical work was 20 per cent, by 1937 it had risen to 50 per cent.

School age in Nazi Germany has been lowered. By 1937 child labor was allowed "in the homes" from the age of ten years. Boys and girls entered mines and factories at fourteen. Since the present war began all these adverse conditions have been intensified.

No wonder that all Hitler's oratory, threats, cajolery and promises of reward have failed to raise the birth rate of Germany. It is now 9.5 below the level needed to keep up the present population of Germany.

Treatment of Women

ALL young unmarried women in Germany now must put in one year's work on the land. The increased number of married women employed in factories had become a noticeable feature of Nazi Germany even in 1937. By that time, too, the eight-hour day had given place to the ten to fourteen-hour day and seven-day week. Germany now has more women workers than any other civilized country.

Bearing in mind Nazism's claims to have brought health and happiness to the German people, the outside world is entitled to ask for proof in actual facts rather than in assertion. Here are some of the "proofs."

The drinking of alcohol has increased. Beer of heavy alcoholic content had grown in consumption from 889,000,000 gallons in 1932, to 1,242,000,000 gallons in 1938.

The production of light beer had decreased.

Consumption of wine and spirits had doubled.

Badly needed grains had been sacrificed in this attempt to drug and befuddle the people into "happiness."

The suicide rate in Germany is almost as high as for all the rest of Europe together and about four times that of the United States.

While most other countries have shown a decline in the mortality rate, deaths in Germany have increased by 80,000 a year under Hitler.

In 1938, only 55 per cent of the recruits called up for military duty were found to be fit for service. During 1938, 200,000 workdays were lost on account of sickness.

It should be borne in mind that what has been done in Germany as part of a deliberate policy, may be done just as surely elsewhere as the result of popular ignorance. The Health League of Canada is devoting its full resources to opening the eyes of our people to this danger.

Don't let it happen in Canada!

A. Missionary in the Yukon

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never comparable to your own table at home.

"Communication is handled very well in the country. We get mail at least once a week in the winter and at least twice weekly in the summer. Previous to the war we had our little short wave radio stations, and there is always the telegraph."

But every time I see that small, frail-looking telegraph wire stretching across the wilds of the country, I am reminded of what was my worst experience in the Yukon district. Even now sometimes I will wake screaming and yelling, and bathed in sweat, dreaming of that occurrence.

"It so happened that the young chap that attends to wire maintenance in the district was going out to make repairs in the same direction I was, so we determined to travel together. Using the wire repair man's boat, which was a flat-bottomed affair with a shelf at the back at the waterline, used in employing an outboard motor, we started out."

"We did famously until we reached the junction of another river and the Yukon. Half way across, a bad storm hit us, cutting out the motor. The wind took us in its grasp and swept us back. Now, half way across the mouth of the joining river there was a sandbar. But, different from the usual sandbar, this one was of quicksand. And the wind swept us right on to this sand."

"I can tell you the exertions we underwent in getting off that awful sand were tremendous. Yelling and heaving as we were, it was doubtful that we would have gotten free had not the storm and wind let up. Even then, it was only by dint of great struggle that we got free. When we reached shore, we were so weak we collapsed and were forced to camp there overnight."

Rev. Robert Ward has gone back up into the hinterland, the Yukon, for another period of some years. Again he will be working out of Fort Selkirk, visiting the Indians and the whites in his territory; sometimes acting as minister, sometimes as teacher and other times as doctor. But, though there are only thirteen buildings in the town, including the postoffice, the police station, the church, the telegraph office and all the homes, and though the population be only fourteen whites and Indians, Rev. "Bob" Ward is looking forward to another period of years with the people.

The waiter was painfully slow in seeing to the customer's order, but at last he arrived.

"Have you ever been to the zoo?" asked the customer.

"No, sir," drawled the waiter.

"Then you should go; you'd get a big thrill watching the turtles dash by."

Doing a Big Job for Canada



Hon. Vincent Massey, High Commissioner for Canada in London, is performing a big task for the Dominion. Ever since the beginning of the war the High Commissioner has been forced to assume many added duties and is "carrying on" in the interests of Canadians in England. The above shows Mr. Massey in the British Broadcasting studio during one of the British broadcasts on the Empire and the war.

General Charles de Gaulle

GENERAL Charles de Gaulle, who was Chief of the Military Commission in the Reynaud Government, broadcast from London on June 18 a stirring appeal to all French officers and men, engineers and others, to prevent "the flame of French resistance" from being extinguished.

General de Gaulle was born at Lille in November, 1890, graduated from Saint Cyr in 1911 and was attached to the 33rd Infantry Regiment, then commanded by Petain, whose influence on him always remained great and to whom his book, "Au Fil de l'Epee," is dedicated.

Like most of France's great military leaders, he fought in the last war and was several times mentioned in dispatches. He was wounded in August, 1914, at Dinant; in March, 1915, at Mesnil-les-Hurlus, and again in 1916 when he was also gassed and taken prisoner. After several unsuccessful attempts to escape he finally succeeded in December, 1917, as a result of which he was awarded the Croix de Guerre, avec palmes.

After the war he was successively attaché in Poland, a member of Marshal Petain's staff with the army in the Near East and a member of the Conseil Supérieur de la Defense Nationale. He then fought in the present war at the head of an armored division. Later he became Under Secretary for National Defense.

Brilliant Soldier

ALTHOUGH General de Gaulle is a brilliant soldier, his reputation is not primarily based on his military career. France has many great soldiers who fought in the last war and have been fighting again in this. General de Gaulle is famous as the man who fought, too, through twenty years of peace, for the victory of the idea that the machine had transformed the army and military strategy, and that the concepts which ruled military strategy in the last war were therefore now out of date.

He fought for the creation of motorized and armored divisions manned by a professional army. His book, "Vers l'Armee de Metier," published in 1934, passed almost unnoticed in France, though it was translated into German and received much attention in Germany. In France, however, it was noticed by one man at least—M. Reynaud—who took up with enthusiasm the ideas expressed in it.

In 1935 M. Reynaud's book, "Le Probleme Militaire Français," echoed General de Gaulle's plea, and in March of the same year M. Reynaud introduced a bill for the creation of ten motorized and armored divisions. In his speech of March 15 M. Reynaud put forward the hypothesis, then considered so unlikely, of an invasion of Belgium, and predicted the events which we have just experienced.

"Let us assume," he said, "that Belgium is invaded. It is an event not without precedent. If we have not the means at our disposal to go immediately to her aid and to help her to cover her eastern frontier, what will happen? Perhaps what has happened once already. The Belgian army may be pushed back to the sea. For us that means 350 kilometres of frontier to defend in the North of France. Is there anyone here who accepts in advance the idea of seeing the richest provinces of France once more invaded and torn from the motherland?"

The new ideas were not, however, generally welcomed. The conception of fast-moving armored units was not felt to be in harmony with the pacifist ideal which relied on defence and rejected anything which could be regarded as "offensive" in outlook. France relied on her Maginot Line and her citizen army. But General de Gaulle was not discouraged by the attitude just revealed and continued to write and to work for the acceptance of his ideas. "I am quite confident," he said, "that they will come to it. But I am afraid that they will come to it too late."

Appeal for Machines

EVEN after the outbreak of the present war he continued his appeal, and in January of this year he wrote a report urging France to make a superhuman effort to produce tanks and airplanes even at the cost of demobilizing troops in order to release the necessary labor.

The two following quotations make it

clear how accurately General de Gaulle foresaw France's danger. The first might almost be taken as a description of the situation faced by the army of General Corap at Sedan.

"The hills flanking the Moselle and the Meuse together with the Lorraine plateau and the Ardennes form appreciable obstacles but they lack depth, so that they could be lost as the result of a mistake, a surprise attack or negligence. The first defeat in Flanders or Hainaut would similarly make them vulnerable. In these flat plains there are neither walls nor ditches to help defences, no dominating heights, no rivers parallel to the front. Geography gives passage to the invaders in numerous places—the valleys of the Meuse, the Sambre, the Scheldt, the Scarpe, the Lys, where rivers, roads and railways all offer guidance to the enemy."

The second gives a picture of tank warfare as the troops in France have experienced it.

"A strongly armored brigade crossing fields as fast as a horse at the gallop, armed with 150 medium and 400 smaller guns and 600 machine guns, crossing ditches three yards wide, climbing banks thirty feet high, crushing trees, walls, everything will be the backbone of the large units, their observers and scouts too, protected all the way by aviation. The boldness of cavalry units in former times will be multiplied. The first onslaught of this mechanical system of fire, shock, speed and camouflage will have no less than 2,000 tanks in action."

War Poetry Mediocre

THE Poetry Society of London considers that so far the present war has not thrown up any poets of the calibre of Rupert Brooke, Siegfried Sassoon, Edmund Blunden and others who wrote of 1914-1918. The mechanized nature of this war, they say, has had its effect on the men's outlook. War has been stripped of its glamor, and such poems as are received usually have Hitler as their theme and tell of the fate the poet would like to mete out to him. This is not regarded as a good theme for the making of great poetry.

John Masefield, the poet laureate, is writing a poem in celebration of the brave retreat from Dunkirk. It will not be completed for some time and is likely to be a major work.



CANADIAN CAMPS GROW RAPIDLY AS RECRUITS POUR IN
The name "Valcartier" revives many pleasant memories for Canadian war veterans, but to the 1940 recruit it looms as a vast training centre for the thousands of young Canadian soldiers now training in the art of modern warfare. Two pictures, taken at random, show, top, a small corner of the "mushroom city" that has sprung up at Valcartier Camp, and, bottom, typical "boarding house stuff" as the boys' patiently await in lines for a chance at the showers.

Malta Is Well Defended by Bravest of Fighters

ALTHOUGH the British Navy is the main bulwark of strength against attacks on Malta, this island of 265,000 people has bred a race of fighters with formidable army units of its own.

Principally agricultural workers, the Maltese have no need of physical culture campaigns to keep them fit. The healthy lives they lead keep them in splendid physical condition, and their characteristics—stocky build, broad shoulders, deep chests and short legs—make them ideal fighting men.

The business of fighting has, in fact, become almost a part of their lives, for they have had to defend their properties and liberties since the days when the corsairs and piratical bands ravaged the islands and lands in the Central and Western Mediterranean.

The years which have elapsed since the first British connections with Malta at the beginning of the blockade of the beleaguered French garrison of Valletta in 1798, have seen no less of war than the two preceding centuries.

In the Last War

DURING those 140 years the Maltese have served in the British Army in Spain, Sicily, Corsica, Italy, Egypt, the Sudan, in Crete and in Cyprus, in South Africa and India, and during the Great War of 1914-1918 there were men from Malta on every battlefield and at every naval engagement.

As Italy was then an ally of Britain, the Malta home units were not called upon for active service. But they were ready, as they are now.

It is not strange, therefore, that the Maltese have rallied to the British fighting forces with a spirit which is second to none in the Commonwealth of Nations. The rush of volunteers was enormous, so much so that it was found possible to send a contingent for service overseas without in any way weakening the defensive strength of Malta.

Today the island is a fortress packed with fighting men. It has the Royal Malta Artillery, with a heavy regiment for coastal defence and an efficient series of anti-aircraft batteries manned by both regular soldiers and Territorials.

Already this unit has successfully repulsed Italian air attacks on the island and caused losses.

A second fighting unit is the King's Own Malta Regiment, a force composed of two battalions.

There are also the Malta Section of the Royal Engineers, the Maltese Artisan Section of the Royal Army Ordnance Corps, and Malta's own voluntary force to combat any attempted invasion by parachute troops.

Both of the main fighting units have tradition behind them. The artillery can trace its direct ancestry through the Royal Malta Fencible Artillery of 1861 back to the earliest embodiment of Maltese troops under British officers effected by Colonel Thomas Green (afterwards Lord Lynedoch) when he arrived to take charge of the land operations against the French in Valletta towards the end of the 1798-1800 blockade.

First Paid Troops

THE Maltese Light Infantry, raised in 1800, were the first regular corps of Maltese paid troops on the British strength. It became known as the Royal Malta Artillery eighty-nine years later on the formation of the Royal (now the King's Own) Malta Regiment.

The birth of the infantry unit provided a typical example of the spirit of Malta. Organization began on May 1, 1889, and before the end of that year it was up to strength and a fully equipped force.

It continued as a militia unit until shortly after the last war, when it was disbanded. It had two battalions, all the officers being Maltese with the exception

of an English adjutant. He was retained with a few colleagues and non-commissioned officers to form the nucleus of a new regiment should the necessity arise.

The decision again to recruit it to full Territorial Army strength was made in 1932, when Colonel E. J. Vella, a Maltese who was second in command of the old militia regiment, became Commanding Officer of the 1st Battalion. The 2nd Battalion was formed about twelve months ago.

All the officers, for both the artillery and the infantry, are trained at army centres and schools in England. In training the new Territorial force they had the assistance of officers of the historic Royal Irish Fusiliers.

In addition to its home defence organization, Malta sends hundreds of recruits into the Royal Navy—the Maltese are exceptionally fine seamen—and recently began to send men into the Royal Air Force by way of recruiting depots and training schools in England.

In fact, a grand fighting effort for one small island!

Christian Heroism

HEROISM has various forms, and many qualities go to its composition, but it possesses certain constant factors. The hero is self-forgetful; he places the cause above himself and his own interests. He is courageous, and if protracted action is called for, enduring and tenacious of purpose. In most people there is a hidden reserve of heroism; it witnesses to the essential dignity of human nature.

Heroism is not a virtue peculiar to Christianity, but there is a Christian form of heroism. Christ's ethical teaching set up perfection as the goal at which men should aim, and enlarged the scope of conduct by making it include motive and the inner springs of action. Consequently heroism found a peculiar field in the inward struggle for character. It is true heroism to refuse to admit defeat, to go on battling against temptation, and to wrest from circumstances however untoward a spiritual gain. "When the fight begins with himself a man's worth something. This is a heroism hidden from the eyes of the world but known to and approved by God."

Of this type was the heroism of Jesus Christ. He faced temptation without yielding to it. He endured the Cross, going even to death for his fellow-men. Throughout His career He kept steadily in view the mission upon which He had been sent. He lived a life of self-sacrificing ministry for others. The secret of His achievement was that He had disciplined His will into complete harmony with the Divine will. The result was a personality cast in heroic mold, in which authority and graciousness, moral severity and overflowing love made one harmonious whole.

The ultimate root of all heroism is conviction of the worth of spiritual values and of the necessity of preserving them. Men may refuse to believe in God, but there are very few who would deny that truth and goodness, justice and liberty are spiritual possessions which humanity must defend. Even a perverted sense of values can evoke a heroism of endurance and self-sacrifice. Heroism testifies to the fact that the spirit of man has kinship with an eternal realm of spirit. Man is greater than he knows, and his life is rooted in the Divine.

Here in days of stress and anxiety is our true ground of confidence. We can "greet the unseen with a cheer," because whatever changes the unseen may contain, the spiritual foundations of life are secure. Our "citizenship is in heaven;" the true home of our spirit is the realm of eternal values. Nor are we to think of that realm as existing simply in a distant beyond. Its powers are with us now for self-discipline and encouragement. In the temporal we can find the eternal.

Such, at least, is the message of Christianity; for the incarnation was the bringing together of earth and heaven, the entrance into history of new spiritual forces from above. The meaning of Christianity as a historical religion is that God enters into history and releases His power for the uplift of human life. Co-operation and fellowship with God are possible; man is meant to be an instrument of God. And the sequel to the early life of Jesus was a triumphant vindication of man's faith in the supremacy of spiritual values.

From this faith in each generation, is born Christian heroism, which shines more brightly the greater the darkness around it. St. Paul summed up the situation when he asked, "If God be for us, who can be against us?"—From The Times (London).

British Courage

BECAUSE it has so many facets, courage is a quality difficult to define in words, but which—like so many other things that elude definition—we instantly recognize when we see it.

The great Wellington said that the highest form of it is "two o'clock in the morning" courage, which can, of course, be manifested at any time of the day. What the Duke meant was that the bravest man (or woman) is the one who never loses heart, even when the sky is unrelieved black and all seems lost save honor and the determination to win, no matter how heavy the odds against.

It is the sort of courage that mouth with occasion; it is the sort of courage that even our bitterest detractors concede is a marked characteristic of the British people.

Highlands and Country Places

By Robert Connell

THE "highlands" and "country places" of R. L. Stevenson were, of course, in his native Scotland, but we, too, on Vancouver Island, have our Highlands, not merely as a geographic term to express contrast with "lowlands," but as an official designation printed on maps and engraved on official documents. It seems to me we used to hear more of the Highland and Lake districts thirty years ago than we do now. Perhaps too many of us have gone so far afield since then that we have forgotten what lies at our doors.

The boundary line between the Lake and Highland districts runs due north of the point where the Thetis Lake road leaves the Island Highway. The north end of the dividing line is just east of the extremity of Tod Inlet. Thus the Highlands include many square miles of rugged country, with hills rising to over fourteen hundred feet at the highest point and with nearly a dozen lakes of varying sizes.

The heart of this picturesque country is most easily reached by the Millstream road running north from Langford station, but you can enter it by Goldstream Flats and the shoulder of Mount Finlayson, by Durrant Lake, by Little Thetis and Pike Lakes, or by Munn's Road from the Prospect Lake Road. But whatever road you take, if you travel afoot you will find yourself at any season of the year in a region where motor traffic is infrequent and

"Where essential silence cheers and blesses."

I have walked it in the heat of Summer, in the flush of Autumn, amid the dripping mosses and ferns of Winter, and among the Spring's bright flowers, and I have never been disappointed. Forest and valley, crest of hill and gurgling stream, placid lake and rugged crag, all and each in varied aspect of the seasons, rest and invigorate mind and spirit.

The Lowland Approach

WHILE the official Highlands begins in the southwest, as I have said, not far from the Island Highway, actually the walker—with whom alone I am concerned—has to cross nearly three-quarters of a mile of the flat Langford Plains before he enters rough country. Indeed, he has to travel more than a mile and a quarter before he is within the confines of Highland School District. All this means diversity of scenery along the way. First he has about him not only the fringe of Langford village but the great solitary firs that dot the short turf and still look down with the aloofness of centuries on the smiling cottages and flower gardens. A little green marsh marks the site of a Winter pond and where the broom and briar form thickets small birds flit in and out. Then comes a bit of swampy land where, among the hardback with its rosy spikes, the water can be seen, still and brown.

A rise and a twist of the road brings you to a little field out lengthwise by a ditch and enclosed by a wire fence almost hidden in a picturesque natural hedge of tall and untamed shrubbery. This quarter of a mile stretch will prove of interest to any lover of trees and shrubs because it is the only place I know of in this part of the Island where the small Sitka alder grows. It is by nature a mountain dweller, a lover of Alpine streams—at least, that is its record in the Floras. But J. R. Anderson records it as found about Shawnigan, "occurring sometimes on the lower lands on margins of lakes." And, of course, some trees and shrubs as well as smaller plants do descend by way of rivers to the lower valleys, or may be carried as seeds by wind or birds. But as many who are interested in trees and shrubs may never have the opportunity of seeing them in the mountains or along the upper waters of our streams, it is fortunate that a species like this can be seen within a mile from a railway station, a bus stop, and the main highway. The Sitka alder is distinguished from the common red cedar by its smaller "cones," by its flowering at least a month later, and by its leaves, which are at once thinner in texture and finely double toothed, in this respect alone rather resembling the leaves of the hazel. It never reaches the dimensions of the common alder; about fifteen feet is its limit of height.

Wayside Flowers

VERY rarely along the road will you meet with anyone on foot. Wood trucks occasionally pass amid a cloud of dust and more rarely a passenger car. Today I pass two little girls seated on a grassy bank. They smile shyly as I greet them and are quite unconscious, I am sure, of the important place they fill in the country scene of which they seem so integral a part. And as I wander on past a wealth of blackberries, salmonberries and wineberries, I cannot help thinking what a paradise this would have seemed to city children in simpler days. And presently I have so entered into the joys of the thing that one hand at least is deeply empurpled by the sweet juices of the luscious fruit, to say nothing of the danger of

"daubing my natural face unaware More and more from the first similitude," to adapt Mrs. Browning. Even the salmonberries are turning to slaty purple and the kinikinnick ones are reddening, though the latter, being at their ripest dry, we leave to the birds, especially grouse.

The flowers of late Summer are beginning to show themselves. The Michaelmas daisy and the goldenrod are among these.



The Old House, Millstream Road.

The handsome sneezeweed is passed in the low, moist area and there are bushes of the clustered rose, whose blossoms show the effect of the late showers. Here and there a green rein orchid peeps out, conspicuous among the dry grasses, and among the rocks the rippling heuchera or alum root is still to be seen and in shady places the tiarella or foam flower blooms on.

At a turn of the road is a bend of scarcely perceptibly moving water. It is

the Millstream, and a few yards further on the road strikes diagonally across the old bridge and then resumes its direction parallel to the river on the left. The water is so coolly inviting that I go down into the bed, now largely exposed, and enjoy the fresh green of the plants rooted in the moist sand. Across the quiet water that ancient delicacy and temporary comrade of plain bread and butter, the water cress, grows. In places the white flowers rise above the compound leaves. How this

little corner of the stream brings back Tennyson's brook, verses of which so completely describe it:

"I steal by lawns and grassy plots,
I slide by hazel covers;
I move the sweet forget-me-nots
That grow for happy lovers."

The hazel grow thick in this part of the river's valley and the forget-me-nots brighten the water's edge with their exquisite blue.

"I murmur under moon and stars
In brambly wildernesses;
I linger by my shingly bars;
I loiter round my cresses."

Yes, here are the cresses and not far off can be found the blackberries that replace the English brambles. I can fancy good old Herrick, that seventeenth century poet-parson, coming to just such a spot as this in his Hampshire parish to gather his "mess of water cress." But let me give the first part of his "Thanksgiving to God for His House":

"Lord, Thou hast given me a call
Wherein to dwell;
A little house whose humble roof
Is weatherproof.
Under the spars of which I lie
Both soft and dry:
Where Thou my chamber for to ward
Hast set a Guard
Of harmless thoughts to watch and keep
Me while I sleep."

"Low is my porch as is my Fate,
Both void of state;
And yet the threshold of my door
Is worn by the poor,
Who thither come and freely get
Good words, of meat.
Like as my Parlor, so my Hall
And Kitchen's small;
A little Buttery and therein
A little bin;
Which keeps my little loaf of Bread
Unchipt, unfeared;
Some little sticks of thorn or briar
Make me a fire,
Close by whose living coal I sit
And glow like it."

Lord, I confess too when I dine
The Pulse is Thine,
And all those other bits that be
There-placed by Thee,—
The Worts, the Purslane, and the mess
Of water cress,
Which of Thy kindness Thou hast sent."

But besides the tasty water cress there grows here the handsome but far from harmless water parsnip. The musk spreads its leaves and yellow flowers across the sand and gravel. The hedge nettle's purple

ple red flowers rise above the pale mauve ones of the wild mint, and the odors of both plants mingle as I brush past them or tread them underfoot. The fireweed looks down with its large rosy flowers on its modest cousin, the glandular-stemmed epilobium.

Millstream Memories

ABOVE the bridge there used to be in days gone by a little open space, "lawn" or "grassy plot" as you please, bounded by road, stream and bridge. It was just the place for a pleasant picnic tea after the drive from town, a much more arduous trip in those comparatively early motoring days than now. The bridge, as a sketch made twenty-five years ago shows, was fully in view, picturesque as all those old-time structures were from simplicity of style and the quick modifications of atmosphere.

Since then two forces have been at work. Timber cutting has removed a good deal of the old forest and has opened up temporary roads. Thus much of the old flora has been destroyed by loss of shade and moisture. On the other hand Nature has not been behind-hand and the growth of young timber and of native shrubbery has been phenomenal, so that what was open and turf a quarter of a century ago is now as here hidden out of sight. Not only have the firs and alders waxed numerous and great, but the dogwoods have increased, and in places there are positive thickets knee-high of young ones. The hazel, too, has increased greatly. Altogether therefore it must be said that while there have been losses there have also been gains.

The concealment of familiar objects struck me again when I got as far as the old house by the roadside, once the Summer home of Dr. Hamington and his family. Had it not been for the white plastered walls I think I should have missed it altogether, so much is it now shadowed and veiled by cedar and fir. There is something pathetic about an old disused building, and more especially so when you have known those who once spent happy Summer hours within and around its walls. I seemed the other afternoon as I looked at the open door with its vista of empty rooms and at the windows with that dead look those of empty houses have, that I could hear the happy voices of children at play. It was as if some gadget only required touching and another picture of the old house would appear. Its youth would be renewed, and the old days would return, and emptiness and gloom and ruin disappear.

I moved on a little to where the lime kiln's ruins used to stand so plainly by the road. They, too, are hidden in shrubbery and so too the little quarry whence came the rock that lined the kiln and in due course I suppose made the plaster that still withstands the vagaries of weather. I climbed a rocky ridge on the other side of the road, a ridge that the woodmen have revealed, and there across the old house and its forest background I saw the great mass of Mount Finlayson, its east side with its bare rocks. When I came down again I met a bright little lad who had just ridden up the road on his bicycle. He wanted to know why I was so far away and on foot, a question I found difficult to answer, and when I said he lived in a beautiful district he seemed hesitant and told me of a visit he had made elsewhere. In this he was, of course, like all of us more or less. "Distant hills are green" and "over the hills and far away" is the tune of the young heart. If it were not so, where would our adventures and explorers be?

I returned to a trail leading down to the river a little way below the old house. There in the warm sun that shone brilliantly through white clouds I found a comfortable seat on the rocks above the water. Tiny fish moved about above the caddis-worms in their ingenious but clumsy looking houses. The smallest, not more than half an inch long, were browsing on the algal covering of the rocks. To those a little larger I fed fragments of sandwich, and one, finding something in his mouthful not to his taste, ejected it with great promptitude and went off in disgust. A noble dragonfly, his darkness of body broken by bars of gleaming yellow, flew up-stream and down in the little opening in the trees and shrubbery. A white admiral, commonest of butterflies this year, paid me a visit. From the density of a nine-bark bush opposite a pair of towhees uttered what I could not but take to be loud protestations against my presence.

On my way homeward I enjoyed a change from the wild in the pleasant view of a little farm on the slope of the Millstream valley. Green pastures against fir woods were dotted with grazing cattle. A horse, too, was evidently out for his week-end holiday. In another field a bull recognized me as a stranger and kept his eye on me till I passed out of sight. Near the Sitka alder hedge, but on the other side of the road, rises a low but bold hill-lock of rock, its precipitous side facing north. Once upon a time a young lady told me that when as a girl she traveled this road she used to watch at each passing to catch a deer standing on that ill-housed brink, but she watched in vain. Yet such expectant looks are not wholly in vain; they give that touch of romance to scenery that makes it forever memorable.

Helen's Self-Consciousness Clouds a Day at the Fair

A Helen and Warren Story

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THE gay festivity of the Fair! A cool fresh blue and white Fair. Blue and white buildings. White terrace tables under blue umbrellas. Sun-parkled fountains—white sprays from blue-tiled pools. Even the sky a vivid blue with white-froth clouds!

Everywhere a holiday flutter of flags and pennants. Music from unseen bands. "Now where to, Kitten?" Warren's cane furrowed the gravel path. "Oh, any of the electrical exhibits," eagerly Helen. "I'd love to see that demonstration again—an egg cooked without heat!"

"Now we'll fry ours the old way! And better start on the shows we missed last year. Can't do much in one afternoon." Strolling on toward the great white Perspex. An animated summery crowd. Light dresses, linen suits, Panamas, sun glasses.

Groups with convention badges. Souvenir-laden children. Boy Scouts. Camera addicts snapping every sculptured and fountained vista.

"Dear, here's the Telephone Building. That mechanical voice—One of the things I want to see—or hear!"

Into a lofty hall. On the wall a giant face lettered "Pedro the Voder." Beneath, a girl at a curious keyboard. An announcer explaining the electrical machine. Twenty sounds—combinations making all words.

"Will you suggest something for Pedro to say?" an appeal to the crowd. Shouts of names and home towns. Difficult words—metamorphosis, Schenectady.

Pedro repeating in a slow throaty bass—through his loudspeaker mouth. Occasionally a wrong sound when the girl struck a wrong key.

"A Ticket, a Ticket!" called a green-sweatered youth. The pitch changed, Pedro intoning the juvenile rhyme in a shrill soprano.

"That's really weird!" murmured Helen. "Huh, too much talk in the world as is. Why add synthetic gab?"

More audience suggestions. A middle-aged man calling trite witticisms. His wife flushed, embarrassed—trying to draw him away.

"Oh, how can he? She looks so mortified," Helen embarrassed for her. "His cheap jokes!"

"Huh, not so terrible. People out for a good time—want to laugh." On into another room. Facing them, a large wall map of the States.

A double line at the sign: "Register Here for Free Long-Distance Calls." "All that crowd—just because it's free!" "Well, they want a crowd," shrugged Warren. "Advertising stunt."

In a glass booth, a woman making a call. Along the rail, spectators listening in with earphones.

"Dear, that lighted route on the map—she's calling San Francisco! The farthest possible," her disapproval of taking advantage.

A roar from the listeners-in. What had she said that was so amusing?

"Trying to be humorous in public!" as they came out. "How can they?"

"Huh, everybody not so self-conscious as you. This's a Fair—crowd's out for fun. Here!" drawing her back. "Watch where you're going!"

The musical horn of an around-the-Fair bus—a measure from "The Sidewalks of New York."

Wandering on under shading trees. Everywhere colorful flowers—and the cool splash of fountains and cascades.

Last year here only once before they went abroad. But an unforgettable day—and an enchanted night!

Now following signposts to "The Wonder World of Chemistry."

Inside, an impressive laboratory atmosphere. White-coated demonstrators presiding over test tubes, beakers, retorts.

Chemical wonders! Flexible, unbreakable glass—clearer than crystal. Cloth dyed three colors in one bath. A fire-proofed necktie held in a flame!

Proving synthetic rubber stronger than the real. Spinning a rayon used in tires. Showing stockings of fibre magically created from coal, air, water.

"Now how about dinner?" suggested Warren when they left. "We'll amble over to the foreign section. Where'd you want to eat? France, Sweden, Switzerland?"

"Oh, it's too early! Let's go to the House of Magic first. You wouldn't last year because of the crowd."

"If we get in now without waiting an hour—be magic, all right!" But fortunately not a long line. A clock announcing "Next Show 6.30."

"We're in luck," leaning on his cane. Muffled reports from the next building. Mart-made lightning! A thrilling demonstration seen last year.

But Helen wanting to repeat. Her insatiable interest in all things electrical. Just 6.30 when the doors swung open and the line surged in.

Settled in the comfortable auditorium. The stage crowded with mysterious equipment.

The demonstrator starting with magical lights. Invisible objects made visible. Casting a permanent shadow—his black silhouette after he stepped aside!

Popping corn in a fever machine—by radio waves! His hand on the container—cold! Yet the corn popping up in white showers. The heat in the kernels, as in the human body.

Next controlling electricity by sound. A miniature engine manoeuvred by his voice! Any words—only the number of syllables mattered. Three sent the engine forward, two back, one halted it.

Now waving a flashlight before a cabinet—producing sounds. Hearing light! And the sound waves made visible! Fluctuating waves in a luminous green line. Seeing sound!

A waltz played on a phonograph. Then the music shut off, but the record still turning. The unheard waves transmitted to the machine across the stage—and audibly played back!

"These waves can be halted by any

dense body!"—thrusting his head in their path.

Instantly the music stopped—resumed when he drew back his head. Dutiful laughter from the audience.

"Dear, why must they be facetious?" Helen's murmured protest. "With these scientific wonders—such trivial jokes!"

"Well, crowd seems to like 'em. Don't be so darn critical."

Critical! Was she? But only of the cheap witticisms. She loved the Fair. All the instructive, stimulating exhibits.

Now leaning forward with thrilled interest. A motor driven by light.

Still in the experimental stage. But some day you may run your vacuum cleaner by sun power! And now another glimpse of the future. Levitation!

On a drum-shaped stand he placed a large bowl. Instantly it rose about six inches—floating in air!

Kept up by a repellent magnetic force! To prove not an air current, sweeping an ostrich fan between bowl and stand. The white plumes unstirred.

Levitation! The dream of the ages achieved—by science, not magic!

A few more uncanny demonstrations, and the auditorium lights flashed on.

"Got the stage magicians all beat!" enthused Warren, stretching up.

"Really miracles! And some day all put to practical use—"

"There's one now!" His cane pointing to the fever machine.

A small boy climbing on the stage—swooping up the popped-out corn!

Now all out the side exit into the main exhibit hall.

Here a television programme. Several receiving sets—showing an announcer interviewing a young woman. Her gum-chewing "Yeah!" to his questions.

"Transmitter over there," Warren steering across the hall.

But as they reached the glass booth, the girl was being tactfully dismissed.

Now the announcer's appraising glance swept the audience. Resting on Helen.

"Wouldn't you like to be televised?" he invited.

"Oh, thank you, but I—I couldn't!" self-consciously shrinking back. Then at his insistence, "No, no, I wouldn't think of it!"

"High-hat crowd today!" the audible comment from behind them.

"Then how about you?" an appeal to Warren. "Come on, be a sport."

"Oh, all right," he grinned.

"Dear, don't!" her pleading whisper. "Please!"

But with a muttered "Only take a minute" he stepped up to the booth.

How could he. Knowing how she felt about it—making oneself conspicuous in public!

Her face flaming, she darted to one of the receiving sets.

On the tiny screen—Warren! But not his usual nonchalance. Twisting his cane, unwontedly ill at ease.

At least if he wouldn't give his right name—But he did!

"And where are you from, Mr. Curtis?"

"New York."

"What do you think of the Fair?" the interviewer contrastingly suave.

"Seems pretty fair!"

"That trite pun! Never before this stab of mortification—for Warren! And she had plied that other woman—"

More questions about the Fair—what impressed him most. No more puns, but his answers rather awkward. Lacking his usual careful poise.

At last the "Thank you, Mr. Curtis. I hope you'll visit us again."

The miniature Warren stepping down—out of the screen.

"Oh, dear, why did you—how could you?" when he joined her.

"Well, darn ungracious not to," heading for the exit. "Somebody made a crack about us being high-hat. Way you shield away—"

"But you needn't have gone up! And you didn't do it well!"

"Didn't, eh? Now I'm no actor!" he bristled. "What'd you expect?"

"That awful pun!" still hot embarrassment. "And giving your real name—"

"Why in blazes shouldn't I?" A belligrent swish of his cane. "Great guns, of all the killjoys! All part of the show—got to help 'em along."

"Plenty of others to do that. You needn't!"

"Fine co-operative attitude!" he snorted. "That's what makes you seem snobbish—your blamed self-consciousness! Think everybody's watching us. We're not so darn important!"

"Dear, you know it's not that! Just that I dread to be conspicuous—"

"Well, forget yourself and get into the spirit of things. Now where do we eat? How about that Rumanian garden? Have some of the native dishes. Then up to their roof and watch the fountain fireworks—best show of the Fair!"

Fear Bishop's Safety

GBRALTAR—The Rock is much concerned for its brave English bishop, Dr. Harold Buxton, who was in Malta when Italy declared war and has had to remain there during the severe raids on the island. The Bishop of Gibraltar, with spiritual jurisdiction over British subjects in Spain, Portugal, Italy, Greece, the seaboard and islands of the Mediterranean, the Black and Caspian Seas, the Adriatic, the Greek Archipelago, Turkey, Rumania, Bulgaria, Jugoslavia and parts of Asia Minor as well as South Russia, presides over Europe's largest Protestant diocese. It is doubted whether any Bishop of Gibraltar has ever visited his entire diocese, but Dr. Buxton has made a very good attempt at doing so, averaging around 10,000 miles a year and covering a goodly part of it.

Dr. Buxton is a very energetic man, who likes travel, fortunately. Brother of Lord Noel Buxton and Charles Roden Buxton, noted workers in Liberalism abroad, he served as a chaplain in France and also as a medical officer in the Caucasus in the last war. He visited Madrid in the Spanish civil war and organized relief work for the Americans.

Facing Truth Freedom of Citizens

Under the heading "We Can Face the Truth," a frequent contributor to "The Daily Colonist" (London), criticizes some of the rules of censorship, and particularly the "alarm and despondency" regulation and comments: "Nobody in the Press or out of it wants to do or say anything, even if it be true, which will be useful to the country, unless by saying it the reform of an abuse or a scandal can be effected."

In wartime we willingly surrender many of the liberties we most prize in less harassed days if we are convinced that it will strengthen the national effort and bring the national purpose nearer to final and successful consummation.

But we are justified in expecting that the necessity of the surrender shall be demonstrated and that the sovereignty which we relinquish, either in whole or in part, to the hands of our rulers shall be used to the best advantage of the state.

As is common knowledge, the freedom of the press—which is almost synonymous with the liberty of the subject—has largely gone into cold storage for the duration of the war.

It has for its companion in exile the freedom of the citizen to engage in any sort of criticism, whether it is delivered at a public meeting or in private conversation.

Comment is allowed, of course, but it is so circumscribed with interdictions that it loses most of its force and most of its effectiveness.

The people of this country, with only a few dishonorable exceptions, accept the situation cheerfully, but that attitude of mind might automatically change into an ugly temper if grounds ever arose for suspecting that the prohibitions were being employed, not to guard the state against injury, but to save politicians or the heads of government departments from the proper retribution for their own mistakes.

Opinions Censored

UNDER a recent ukase of the Home Office it is an offence for anybody to make a statement likely to cause alarm or despondency. The terms in which this was promulgated were vague to the last degree.

It will be understood that news has been censored since the outbreak of war. The new decree brings opinion under a similar censorship, and one which puzzles the ordinary man and woman.

Let me explain, using the retreat to Dunkirk as the text. As the facts of the retreat saw the light of print, they constituted melancholy reading, except for the stories of the heroism of the Allied troops.

Supposing an absolutely patriotic man had observed concerning them: "This is a terrible blow for us, and it will be hard to recover from it. The infuriating part of it is that it need not have happened if the nation had been adequately served by the government departments."

Would the utterer of that observation

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have rendered himself liable to penalties (imposed, I may add, without trial) for saying no more than the facts themselves said?

It is a point which should be promptly elucidated in the Commons.

Let us take another example of a purely hypothetical kind. Aircraft production is now in the excessively capable hands of Lord Beaverbrook. But if, instead of that human dynamo, we had in his place a hackadassical, professional politician, and if one knew that the output was still only a thin trickle, would it be punishable under the "alarm and despondency" regulation for a newspaper or a private individual to inform the world of what was going on? It is a question which Rosa Dattle would certainly ask if she were alive.

All Are Patriots

NOBODY—in the press or out of it—with an ounce of patriotism in his composition wants to do or say anything, even if it be true, which will be useful to the enemy, unless by saying it the reform of an abuse or a scandal can be effected.

That is one matter. Quite another is to suffocate criticisms of men who, by their own incompetence, or worse, are themselves damaging the national interest.

Especially is that true in these days when the news is of the blackest.

The French Government carried censorship of both opinion and fact to a totalitarian extreme in the last few weeks, with fearful results to national morale.

They seemed to think that by prohibiting the publication of unpleasant facts, the facts themselves could be magically robbed of some of their tragic content. When, as was inevitable, they eventually leaked out, their impact on the French people was infinitely more devastating than it would have been if the truth had been frankly given in the first place.

The British people have been braced and stiffened in their resolution by recent events. They have not quailed before them, nor will they quail before whatever ordeal may await them in the future.

But they demand, and legitimately demand, that they shall not be kept in blinkers unless it is absolutely necessary in the national interest. And they will kick violently against any suggestion that the national interest and the preservation of the reputation of men who have failed in high positions are one and the same thing.

Italy's Air Power

By ERIC BARGENT
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THE Italian Air Force is essentially offensive rather than defensive, and because its sphere of activity lies mainly in the Mediterranean, it comprises a comparatively large number of seaplanes.

Some of these seaplanes are definitely good, but there is no indication that they or the bombers and fighters are anything but considerably inferior to our own machines.

Italian bases in Italy itself, in Albania, the islands of Rhodes, Leros, Sicily, Sardinia, and in the African possessions of Libya, Abyssinia, Eritrea and Somaliland are numerous, but they are also particularly vulnerable to attack by the air power of the Allies in the East.

Djarabub in Libya would make an excellent base for an attack on Egypt; Kufra against the Sudan and Ghatrun, Rhat and Murak against French West Africa.

The Allied fleets in the Mediterranean are vulnerable too, but so is the Italian fleet, and Mussolini cannot afford to lose machines at the same rate as Germany is losing theirs, for Italian aircraft production is not nearly as great as that of her ally.

Italians are essentially individualistic. They hold the world's height record (56,032 feet, the world's records for distance in a closed circuit (8,033 miles), for land planes and also for seaplanes (3,230 miles), and for speed in a seaplane (440.67 m.p.h.), and other minor records for speeds with loads, most of which have been made with Savoia, Caproni and Breda bombers. Nor should we forget the Italian pilots and Macchi aircraft in the Schneider Trophy contests.

Little Opposition

SPAIN and Abyssinia, useful practice grounds, proved little because opposition was slight, and the main fault of the Italian Air Force is its lack of a number of really first-class engines. Good machines are made inferior with poor engines.

In 1930 Italy had 1,000 aircraft. In 1935 there were nearly 2,000, almost equally divided between bombers, fighters, co-operation and miscellaneous aircraft. In 1936 Mussolini decided to double the Air Force, and the programme called for 4,000 first-line aircraft by 1941, but this number has probably been reached already owing to intensification of production.

In 1937 the number of officers increased from 4,300 to 7,700, and N.C.O.'s to 12,000, but these numbers have been considerably increased since then. In all probability many of the Italian personnel will be under the superior direction of Nazis, and it is known that many Nazis have

been in Italy and Libya in an advisory capacity.

Recently, Italy has produced a crop of fighters, seaplanes and bombers, but, owing to their newness, it is doubtful if the factories can mass-produce these types. The names which are likely to be famous in this war will be of those machines now being turned out in large numbers at Milan, Trieste, Turin, Naples, Pisa, Lake Maggiore, Sesto Calende and elsewhere.

The fact that most of the main factories are in the Plains of Northern Italy makes it necessary for her to have a defensive force in this region, and it is here that our Blenheim bombers have already found their marks.

The Savoia-Marchetti firm, which first became known to the public in 1930 when Marshal Balbo led a formation of S.55A flying boats across the Atlantic, produces bombers of a high order which are mostly three-engined, a type with which only Italy has persevered.

These bombers, notably the S.79B and S.1B, are only capable of about 250 m.p.h. In addition to the bombers, the Savoia commercial machines could be used for troop transport and parachutists.

The Caproni, Breda, Fiat and Romeo companies produce very good or moderate fighters, bombers and seaplanes. The Roman seaplanes are biplanes, mostly for use with the fleet, but there are definitely inferior to our own fleet aircraft such as the Blackburn Roc and Skua.

Machines likely to be heard of are the Breda 65, 82 and 88; the Caproni CA.134 and CA.135; the Macchi C.200; the Fiat G.50, C.R.32, B.R.20, and the Cant bomber seaplane, the Z.506B.

The Italian Air Force is only likely to meet with success at first or against inferior opposition.

An Ill-Placed Jibe

THE Italian radio has spoken, with ill-placed triumph, of America sheltering behind the British fleet. We know that this is not true. America knows that it is not true. But what else America may think about the statement is another matter.

She may think, in view of German and Italian claims in general, that it is a dangerously symptomatic example of wishful thinking.

Macchiavelli, we know, was a clever man. It has never been heard that he was a good sailor.

"Do you know where we get coal from, Johnny?" asked his teacher.
"Yes, miss from coal-beds," said Johnny.
Teacher—Right! Now where do we get feathers from?"
"From feather beds, miss," said Johnny.



LOVED WARRIORS OF THEIR ADOPTED LAND
Pipe-Major R. R. Stoker, of the Calgary Highlanders, plays his evening melody in the lines at Camp Shilo, Manitoba. "The rugged form may mark the mountain band, and harsher features, and a men more grave; but ne'er in battlefield throbb'd heart more brave than that which beats beneath the Scottish plaid"—Scott.

Conquerors of the Sky—They Dare Death With a Laugh

AMAZING, these youngsters. I have been among them, have lived with them, have followed them from the first days of their training to the day when they went to fight. I have seen them come back, weary, wounded, bleeding and exhausted. But always they have laughed, even when Death flapped his wings.

We owe it to their parents, to the nation, to give a glimpse of them at work. There is one magnificent story that may not yet be told of a British plane that raided Germany and came home with a dead crew. That amazing epic will be told one day.

But this story can be told.

When a force of British bombers raided Heligoland and inflicted damage on German warships, the German High Command was thoroughly alarmed.

Field Marshal Goering ordered some of his crack squadrons of Messerschmidt 110, fast fighters of the twin-engine type, from other fronts to reinforce the defences of their northwest coasts. Their crews were picked men, the best that Germany could summon.

This was not known to the men of a formation of British planes curvetting over the North Sea to again attack Heligoland and Wilhelmshaven. They were just a normal team. Most of them had never before been under fire. They did not know that they were flying into the greatest battle in the air.

Battle Formation

THEY were in battle formation, every man at his post, when at the entrance to Heligoland Bight they saw rising before them a flock of German fighters, rushing to break up the attack.

Battle formation it was when the British aircraft when they entered the Bight.

Battle formation it was when they met the shock of the enemy. They thrust their way ahead, beating off the attack, mowing down Nazi planes right and left.

Battle formation it was when they rode out again into clear skies.

They left Nazi aircraft fluttering like falling leaves, enveloped in fire and smoke. But let us see how all this happened.

In the foremost British bomber sat a pilot whose name should have been Victor. A splinter had slashed him across the forehead, and the blood dripped into his eyes.

Peering through his windscreen, Victor saw something that made him forget his wound. The sky was filling with Nazi aircraft—not the type the British pilots had already shouldered aside, but the much-vaunted Messerschmidts. Goering's crack squadrons.

No ordinary force, it was an Armada, seven or eight to every British aircraft. A hundred planes were ranged for battle. As the enemy burst on them, the British leader flashed out the signal, "Keep formation!"

Whatever happened, the objective of the attack must be reached; the bombs must be dropped according to schedule. Crowding together, flying wingtip to wingtip, the Wellington bombers held to their course. Victor's machine was singled out by a Nazi fighter at the start of the attempt to scatter the attackers.

From the Clouds

DOWN from the clouds dropped the Nazis, firing every gun, blazing from every angle. Past Victor's plane went a

Stuart Martin in the British publication John Bull tells of the exploits of British pilots on away-from-home raids.

fighter with a whirl of crackling guns, bullets smashing their way through the fuselage, tearing pieces from wings, ripping struts, and fabric. Still Victor's rear gunner held his fire.

As the Nazi hurtled past, the British gunner let go all he had. The blast hit the German machine like a whirlwind. Bullets tore holes in every part of the machine, smashed into the pilot, his gunners, his crew.

Every man went down under that hail of lead. The Messerschmidt spun in the air like a top, the wings fell off, and it dropped like a stone into the sea.

"One!" shouts the gunner in triumph.

To the attack came another Nazi, hurtling inward.

It passed under the British plane, swung round, blazed its guns in furious bursts, and roared upward.

It passed the tail of the British machine so close that it narrowly escaped a collision.

And as it passed the British guns caught it.

So great was the impact that the Nazi lifted as if tossed by an unseen hand.

It fell over on its side, and two of its crew fell out. For a split second the crew of Victor's machine saw them sprawled in the air, as if they floated. Then, with twitching limbs, they disappeared below.

"Two!" roared the gunner.

Yet the formation held.

Not by a hair's breadth did the Wellingtons deviate from their course.

Unable to stop that flight of intrepid airmen, the Nazis changed their tactics.

They hurled themselves in mass formation at the British.

Wave after wave of them flew straight at the flanks of the formation, pouring into them.

Victor felt a hot, searing pain rip his right leg.

Bullets crashed near his face. He heard them whizz as they battered all around him.

One of his crew went down, but a minute later he was up again on his hands and knees, hitting back all the time.

"They can't beat us, sir," he whispered.

"No," replied Victor, grinning in spite of the pain that was burning his leg. "They won't beat us, old boy!"

And as he spoke he saw a Nazi machine right in his path, the pilot bent on smashing his machine into the bomber.

It came at them like an express train. Then it stopped short, its nose rose in the air, it somersaulted and disappeared from his line of vision.

"Three!" came the voice of the gunner. Unshaken and unchecked, the bombers flew on, straight for Wilhelmshaven.

Only in one or two instances did a British machine fall out of formation, crippled and damaged.

It was the old British solid square that told again, as it told on the field of Waterloo and a thousand other battles on land through the centuries.

Over their objective they flew, still in formation.

Then each bomber went down, to deal the greatest blow of all.

Unconscious of his wound, Victor saw through the red film that was in his eyes the outline of a German warship in dock.

The bomber on his left began to dive. He pulled at his stick and followed.

And then, at the proper moment, his first bomb was released.

Dead on the objective went the missile, and the bomber heaved with the explosion that rent the deck of the ship.

Another bomb was loosed.

And then another, and so until all were gone.

Fire and smoke burst out from the docks and sheds below.

Houses toppled as though their foundations had been cut away from their superstructure. The air was filled with the roar and crash of explosions.

Again according to schedule, Victor turned his craft westward, still keeping formation in spite of the Nazi fighters.

No longer ogling in waves, the attack was now single thrusts by aces of German flying.

For Victor and his fellow-pilots the task before them was to bring their machines home.

His fighting turret was out of action. Two of the gunners were wounded. Yet Victor crouched over his controls, with the crash of enemy bullets coming in bursts all around him, guiding the machine unerringly.

His second in command dodged from gun position to gun position, aiming and firing.

The Nazis were beaten off again.

Sixty miles from their own coast they turned back.

The whole battle had occupied just under an hour, but the British had still 300 miles of sea to cross. Bombers were crippled, crews stricken, yet they still kept in formation.

One by one the bombers came home, landed, and their pilots stepped out.

Victor, wiping the sweat and blood from his eyes, was helped to bed.

As the surgeon examined his leg he grinned.

"Good scrap!" he said.

And fell asleep.

These wonderful youngsters of the R.A.F.!

This England

THE following lines by Canon E. A. Alexander, which were published recently under the title "This England," were sung as an anthem in St. Paul's Cathedral:

A little life of mountain and of meadow,
Lady of heather, roses and grey sea.
In this dim world of deepening storm and shadow

Must not our hearts, O England, turn to thee?
On thee, ere now acclaimed the queen of nations,

The tortured peoples wait to seek release
From jealous fears and selfish aspirations
Amid thy sheltered ways of ancient peace.

For the true path man's troubled soul is groping:
Be thou to him as tranquil lights that burn

Far off to some tired traveler still hoping
Homeward at last from exile to return.

Crown the long magic of thy guided story
With sovereign counsels generous and free.

And let it be thy final page of glory
That all men's hearts, O England, turn to thee.

It's Glorious And England Will Win

The following letter from a woman air warden on the East coast of England to an American, born in Great Britain, was printed in a recent issue of The New York Sun.

MANY thanks for your letter. It was good to hear from you in the midst of all this. My dear chap, I do know what you mean when you say it's almost worse for us Britons over there than for us right "in it." I agree. I've never felt less worried by the war than I am now. It's ceased to be a vast and dreadful catastrophe for mankind and has become a tremendous personal adventure. One you can't do much about, the other requires action, ingenuity, what courage one has, and, in fact, everything one possesses. The engine ceases to sit paralyzed and begins to work on all cylinders.

Never doubt that we shall win. France may be dead (it's now June 20), but I doubt it, and, anyhow, even so she did not die without taking a lot of the stuffing out of the enemy. England will win, all right, if the United States doesn't have a Nazi revolution first. If the United States turns out the metal and the Canadians & Co. mind the kids and train the armen, we'll bottle that chap and starve him out and finally kill him.

—There is, I hear, a certain amount of defeatist talk among the intellectuals, but you know England. She doesn't take her intellectuals seriously. They lie on the surface of the country like duckweed on a pond, and are about as deceptive, as reliable, and as yellow.

The country itself is as deep and clear and sound as it ever was. At the moment it's positively elated in a quick, secret sort of way.

There is always a chance that they'll evacuate all this part of the coast, and if so I imagine all those with defence jobs will stay. I'm a First Aid Commandant of rather a large area, so I take it I shall remain. Anyway, I see no point in leaving.

If one had an eighteenth century enemy it might be reasonable, but this lad is an Attila (he, too, does his hair in a funny way, you notice), and I'm convinced that the only way to beat him is for every living creature to fight inch by inch all the way.

Mind you, everyone who is not here is missing something. It may all end in blood and tears and death and tyranny (which I doubt very strongly and see no reason why), but now at the moment it has restored the Elizabethan England.

The most constant regret I have is that father has missed it now it's here. I am glad he missed the last three years of nightmare anticipation (it's been like living in a shed with a tiger cub and seeing the blasted thing growing in size and offensiveness every day), but now that the moment has come it's worth being alive to see it. It would have interested him so. If he should go down (I suppose there's an outside chance of it, but I cannot possibly believe it) we shan't have rotted away.

We're as tremendous as we were in 1545. Think of it! Think of the parashots, the Ironsides, the church bell anglers. It's glorious stuff, and the spirit of the country has awakened to it as it awakened when the secret call went round to the little boats to go to Dunkirk.

The last war took the glory out of fighting and left a world of pacifists. My generation has been trained (on second-hand disillusionment) to think of "honor" (in the field) as foolishness and heroism as a chemical peculiarity. Now, for the first time, we're being given a demonstration of what these words meant to the Elizabethans, and I think all those nations who still think of England as France's little brother, now left alone, are going to be surprised—and delighted.

I don't advocate fighting; all my training has been dead against it. I've lived in dread of war for twenty years. All I say is that now it's come with a good cause and a win-or-lose, life-or-death alternative, now I do see for the first time why our ancestors were so keen on it and I'm glad I'm here to see.

The Moral Issue

A BOOK REVIEW

MR. Wickham Steed dislikes the word

"propaganda," and has chosen to follow current numerical fashion in his title. This has, perhaps, encouraged him to interpret his theme rather discursively. His book is not so much a study of propaganda as a statement of the clash of ideals between the Allied Powers and Nazi Germany, which is the moral issue at stake in the war. The present war is but a further phase of the great revolution which opened with the German invasion of Belgium in 1914. . . . We are coming at last to see what the war in 1914-1918 really meant. Through this revolution we must pass to a readjustment of our social structure, which will be freed from "the degrading and demoralizing worship of economics that has sterilized so great a part of our political education during the past fifty years." Indeed, "while the re-education and demilitarization of the German people must remain foremost conditions of European security, the re-education of the British and other Western peoples will be hardly less urgent."

While this is Mr. Steed's main line of thought, he indulges in many characteristic sallies by the way. He recalls the work of the Enemy Propaganda Department, in which he served under Lord Northcliffe in the last war. He deals some doughty blows at those who have in the past shown themselves susceptible to Nazi propaganda against the Versailles Treaty. He stresses the importance of war aims, and has a brief digression on the Jewish problem which has preoccupied him ever since he lived in Vienna thirty years ago.



Suburb and Country



AGRICULTURE IS A FIRST PRINCIPLE: ON IT RESTS THE LIFE AND HAPPINESS OF MANKIND—Julian A. Dimock

Saanich Farmer Pioneer in New Branch of Agriculture

By C. R. FAHRNI

SITUATED on the East Road, just past Elk Lake, there is a farm that is unique in Canadian agriculture, because it is, so far as we can learn, the only farm in British Columbia, or indeed, in Canada, where the chief product is the dried leaf of the Digitalis plant, a product that is quite valuable in world markets for its medicinal properties.

The casual motorist sees only a fine farm home on the East Road, overlooking fertile fields, with the waters of the Gulf of Georgia and its numerous islands in the distance; and in the evening with Mount Baker's snowy cone shining on the horizon's rim. Well-kept fields of the principal crop are on the east side of the road, and behind the house are resplendent fields of garden flowers, for choice flower seeds are another important crop on this farm.

The story of the Wood Farm has the romance of all pioneering endeavor, and is the story of perseverance, faith and plenty of hard work and early disappointments, finally crowned with the success that generally attends intelligent effort in this country.

J. N. Wood is a Britisher who came over to Canada in 1904, and like so many others commenced farming in the newly-formed province of Saskatchewan. For fifteen years he operated an 800-acre wheat farm at Bladworth, enjoying the thrills and successes, and suffering the disappointments, that every prairie farmer experiences. In 1919, just after the last war, he moved out to Vancouver Island and bought a forty-acre farm in Saanich, and once again went through the hardships of the pioneer, clearing a heavily wooded farm. For a number of years he raised fruit and grain, and but for an accident he might still be depending on these staples for an income.

Started Fifteen Years Ago

IN the early twenties a friend from Minneapolis, Minnesota, visited him, and aroused his interest in the growing of digitalis for the American market. An analysis proved that the soil and climate were suitable for the growth of this plant, and in 1925 Mr. Wood produced his first crop of digitalis, which was sold to a commercial drug manufacturer in the United States. But a prohibitive tariff interfered with the profits of this business, and Mr. Wood was obliged to look elsewhere, in the British Empire, for a market for his product. He began to correspond with manufacturers in the Old Country. All the plagues and conservatism of the British manufacturer had to be broken down, and this all took time and effort.

Finally an order was secured, and the new product must have had merit, because the goodwill of these manufacturers has been retained by Mr. Wood since that first shipment. But it took years of experience in growing, drying and shipping before this pioneer industry won the entire confidence of the overseas manufacturers, and today Mr. Wood can proudly say that he is assured of a market for as much of this novel crop as he can grow and prepare for shipment.

This year, with his brother-in-law and son-in-law, he has seventeen acres planted to digitalis. Besides this, twenty acres are devoted to the growing of flowers for seed, and when one learns that it takes a staff of eleven men to take care of the crop, one realizes the intensive nature of this type of farming. Outside of some summer cultivation for weeds, all the work is hard work, and mighty hard work at that.

Planting the Crop

SEEDING of digitalis is done in February. Two acres of carefully prepared, clean ground are sown in rows, and also a quantity is sown in cold frames, so that an assured number of young plants may be ready for transplanting in the fields in May and June. These young plants are set out at intervals of about fifteen inches in rows thirty inches apart. Growth varies according to the rainfall. In a wet year from two to three crops of leaves may be cut from a field, the leaves of each plant touching in the rows; but in dry years, such as this, only one crop is cut.

Two Varieties

TWO varieties of digitalis are grown by Mr. Wood: (1) Digitalis purpurea (the common Foxglove), has a broad leaf and a tall purple flower stalk, and is a good yielder.

(2) Digitalis lanata, a variety introduced from the Austrian Alps, has a long, narrow leaf, fleshy, but is in greater demand by these British manufacturers. The fields we saw at Mr. Wood's farm were of this latter variety, and at present the plants about half fill the space allotted to them in the rows, indicating an average crop.

Cutting, Drying and Packing

HARVESTING consists of cutting the leaves of the plant. In a good crop year this cutting is done in August and again in October, and sometimes again in December. Cutting, like planting, is done by hand, and it is back-breaking work.

Drying the leaves is the process requiring scientific knowledge. Mr. Wood's drying plant is of his own devising, and meets the requirements of this climate satisfactorily.

A sawdust-fed furnace supplies the heat, which must be perfectly dry. There are twelve compartments heated, and each one contains twenty-five trays, three feet by six feet and six inches deep. These trays are filled with the green leaves, and each tray takes about forty hours to dry or cure. These cured leaves shatter easily and the dust is winnowed from them by fanning mill before packing is proceeded with.

In his earlier days of growing digitalis Mr. Wood used cardboard cartons for packing. But as it was usually in the rainy season that the packing was done, and shipment was largely by water, moisture crept into the cartons no matter how carefully the work was done. Now a sealed tin can, fifteen by fifteen by eighteen inches, is used, and while it is much more costly, it has solved this dampness trouble. One of these cans holds approximately fifty pounds of the dried leaves.

Mr. Wood states that no particular skill is required to grow digitalis, but it would be foolish for anyone to start unless one had arranged for a market sufficient to secure his investment in the expensive drying apparatus. Mr. Wood has never watered either his digitalis or flower plots, but depends entirely on the rainfall for moisture. He estimates that his present capacity for production is from six to eight tons per year. The yield per acre runs from three to eight hundred pounds, according to the rainfall and also to the variety of the plant grown.

The British demand for this product has not been affected by the war so far, as Mr. Wood sends shipments to Great Britain from time to time, and there is no indication that there is any scarcity of ships to make prompt delivery, or any overpowering danger of destruction by enemy submarine or air bombs. The fact that these commercial deliveries can still be made without evident interference is a great compliment to the British Navy.

Flowers Grown From Seed

BESIDES growing digitalis, Mr. Wood has worked up quite a business in Great Britain for flower seeds. Seeds are sent over by the British firms for growing each Spring, and this year Mr. Wood and his partners have twenty acres thus planted, the seed of which will be harvested this Summer and Fall and returned to England under contract. Digitalis seed for Spring sowing is also matured and harvested on the farm.

Mr. Wood and his family have chosen a line of agriculture that requires constant hard work and more than ordinary care and skill. But they are happy in their work, and he himself feels that he is living in the choicest spot in Canada. He refers to his fifteen years spent on the prairies as quite wasted; but we wonder if the lessons learned there did not stand him in good stead when he was establishing himself in his chosen life work.

Changes Made in Rules For Swine Registry

CHANGES in the procedure with regard to Advanced Registry for Swine have recently been made by the Dominion Department of Agriculture, which are of interest to commercial swine producers as well as to breeders of pure-bred swine. These changes are intended to reduce the time and expense of making inspections of sows and litters entered in Advanced Registry while maintaining the accuracy of the performance records. In future only two litters of a sow will be inspected and tests will only be made of groups from the litters inspected. Identification of later litters will, therefore, be the responsibility of the breeder. By this change sows will only be permitted two chances of being tested, but this number appears reasonable since it is doubtful if many sows which cannot complete a test, or obtain satisfactory scores with one of these litters, are sufficiently good to justify the effort and expense of further testing.

Other changes such as no retest of sows which have obtained pass scores or a test of sows with litters of less than eight have the same objective in view, but are of less importance because very few animals were involved at any time. With these changes it is anticipated that inspection staffs will be relieved of a considerable amount of purely routine work and will, therefore, be in a position to do inspection work carefully and to spend more time with the breeder in studying and discussing specific breeding problems of which there are still many in the swine industry awaiting solution.

An Onion Warning

AUTUMN onions are now quite distinctly forming bulbs. You must not allow those bulbs to cover with soil, otherwise your crop will go under to "thick neck" instead of forming a fat bulb, resulting in the part above ground and that below being of the same thickness.

As onions of that sort are quite useless, the necessity for keeping the bulbs half covered with soil only is obvious. Hoeing and general work on the bed are liable to cover them up, hence the need for an occasional inspection.



Hundreds of tons of petrified wood from the "bad lands" of Alberta, where fossilized remains of prehistoric animals have been unearthed by various scientific expeditions have been built into the expansive gardens at "Strangewood," the home of Colonel and Mrs. S. L. McMullen, Gordon Head. The Colonist photographer recently took this picture of one of the borders which surround the broad, lush lawns.

Basic Principles of Flower Arrangement Explained

NOW that flower arrangement in America is taking on a definite form and pattern, it is easy to see that we in the Occident have been deeply influenced by Japanese floral art, writes Esther C. Grayson in The New York Times.

Because of this strong influence, those who enjoy arranging cut flowers want to know at least the rudiments of the art as practiced in Japan, where, since the sixteenth century, it has held a prominent place in religious and social life.

At that time a Japanese emissary to China brought back with him to his own country the custom of placing formally arranged cut flowers on the altars of Buddhist temples. Thus the arrangement of flowers in Japan began as a religious ceremony. Succeeding generations studied the art, forming many schools of flower arrangement, each with its cut and dried rules but adhering to the same principles of design—those sound principles which have made Japanese floral art a thing of beauty to artists and flower lovers everywhere.

In Japanese arrangement, line and silhouette receive the chief emphasis. The material is carefully selected, skillfully prepared and placed with a meagre economy which makes every leaf, blossom, bud and stem an inevitable and telling part of the composition.

Three Lines or Elements

EACH arrangement is built on a triangular skeleton, the three main lines or stems forming a triangle. In order to achieve this result, the dominant, or "heaven" line or element is arbitrarily ruled to be one and one-half times the height of a tall vase or one and one-half times the diameter of a shallow container. The secondary, or "man" element is two-thirds the length of the "heaven" line and the tertiary, or "earth" line is one-third the length of the "heaven" line.

The tip of the main vertical line of each grouping is centred over the spot where its base enters the water in the container, because this assures a feeling of good balance.

Since all Japanese flower art is constructed on the theory of uneven or asymmetrical balance, the number of branches used is always "odd" or uneven, and, though five, seven, nine or even thirteen or more stems may be employed, this subsidiary material comes within the three main lines, which are never obscured or confused by them.

The so-called "rules" which provide that dark colored and full-blown flowers are always placed near the base of a composition while buds and partially opened blossoms occupy positions higher up and further from the centre, are really just the obvious application of the principles of balance which we practice so carefully here in this country. An arrangement

placed at the water line of the container and clung together for several inches above it, without the relief of a leaf or blossom. Only restrained curves, extending vertically, were permitted. Gradually a semi-formal style developed in which freer curves were used as well as more plant material, and finally an informal "way with flowers" evolved which delighted in horizontal lines for which vines or spreading branches were used. In such groupings, where the longest line extends horizontally, the heaven element becomes the secondary line which extends upward and the "man" line, extending horizontally, becomes dominant. Here again symbolism is evident, since the line of heaven must always reach upward.

In the group of contrasting flowers often placed at the base of a semi-formal or informal Japanese arrangement we have the bull's-eye, or point of focal interest so widely used in arrangement in America today. The group, called "Nejime," is placed a little to the side and in front of the bare stems of the rest of the composition at the point where these enter the water. Usually Nejime takes the place of the third, or earth element, but is always a perfect triangular arrangement in itself though it be composed of but a single gardenia or chrysanthemum with foliage and a bud.

In Moribana, a more modern school of Japanese flower art, a low oblong or oval dish is usually selected. In this, several groups of iris, daffodils, or other flowers or plants are placed. Perhaps a gnarled evergreen overhangs a pool or sandy area. Moribana seeks to produce a natural scene in miniature. The material is selected according to the season and the extent of open water appearing is also indicative of the time of year. Moss or turf represents shore, and rocks are used as islands or stepping stones.

Holders and Stands

THERE are Japanese containers used for each type of arrangement. Tall, straight-sided or bulging vases are suitable for formal, semi-formal and Najire groupings. Lower Oriental containers are generally selected for informal compositions though the bamboo jars with several openings are popular too, as are wall vases and hanging baskets, the latter often boat shaped.

Low, open dishes, with or without feet, are used for Moribana.

Containers as a rule are neutral in color, of wood, pottery, porcelain, or metal. They are designed to hold and enhance the flowers without being conspicuous in themselves.

The holders employed by the Japanese are ingenious and unique. The metal needlepoint with heavy base is designed to keep even heavy shrub branches in place. Tubular lead holders are used for bulbous plants. Rocks of interesting color and texture often cover the holder in a shallow container.

As soon as stalks of delphiniums have passed their prime they are cut, well down; the cutting encourages the growth to new shoots that will flower in late Summer.

Directions for Making Bordeaux Mixture

BORDEAUX mixture, although primarily a fungicide is also used as a control for many species of flea beetles and some leaf hoppers. It is practically always used as the basic liquid when spraying for Colorado potato beetle since it is the standard remedy for many important potato diseases. It is made by mixing copper sulphate (bluestone), hydrated lime and water together in the following proportions: copper sulphate (finely ground) four pounds; hydrated lime, six pounds; and water, forty gallons.

The method is simplified greatly if finely ground copper sulphate and hydrated lime are used. After the spray tank has been filled with water, the engine is started and the correct amount of finely ground copper sulphate gradually added. With the agitator running, the lime powder will be thoroughly dissolved in five minutes. In the meantime the hydrated lime is placed in a large pail and slowly stirred with a stick while sufficient water is added to fill the container. After thoroughly mixing, the liquid is then added gradually to the now dissolved copper sulphate in the spray tank, while the engine and agitator continue to run. This proceeding is repeated two or three times until all the hydrated lime with the exception of the insoluble foreign matter in the bottom of the pail, has been carried over into the spray machine.

Two pounds of calcium arsenate are added, when the mixture is ready to apply. Where small hand sprayers are used, the method of preparing Bordeaux mixture is exactly the same except that the agitation of the liquid in the sprayer will have to be done by means of a flat stick in the absence of an engine and mechanical agitator.

The Fragrant Nicotiana Adds Charm to Garden

AMONG the loveliest of half-forgotten flowers of our grandmother's day is the nicotiana. Its delicate perfume, which is a combination of all garden sweetness, is one of the joys of Summer evenings when the charming narrow-petaled flowers gleam like stars against a background of shrubbery.

Nicotiana is an annual which comes up each year from seed and will grow anywhere. In sun it thrives, in poor soil it flourishes and in shade it blooms freely. Some of the old sorts are open only in morning, evening or on sunless days, but recently a new type has been developed which remains open all day regardless of weather.

Of the colors of nicotiana, white has always been favorite, possibly for its value at dusk and for the accents of purity among colored flowers. To achieve maximum of effectiveness the tall sorts of nicotiana are planted in clumps, since the slim bloom-bearing stems are almost devoid of foliage. The foliage, however, is attractive in itself with its long slightly "napped" leaves which grow thickly at the base of the plant and add a touch of tropical luxuriance to the garden.

Every garden will benefit from a planting of nicotiana for its fragrance, beauty and effectiveness. It is deserving of more attention than it has received for the past few years.

Location of Flower Beds Important in Design

MANY flower beds that in themselves are attractive are nevertheless ineffective because they are poorly placed. In the middle of a lawn a flower bed looks isolated and therefore is not pleasing, although an observer may not realize just why the bed fails to satisfy the artistic sense.

A flower bed needs to be related to the rest of the garden, for it is not there for its own sake, but only as a part of the general scheme. When there is a hedge, a mass of shrubbery, or a vine-covered fence for a background, the eye is gratified, for it finds what it unconsciously seeks, a screen against which to view the flowers. The walls of a house also make a useful background, with one qualification: the flowers should not be of the same general color as the wall. Red geraniums, for instance, are ineffective against a red brick wall, and white flowers against a white house.

A border of low flowers at the base of a wall seems to increase its apparent height, while at the same time the transition from the perpendicular lines of the grass will be made more gradual and pleasing. Flower beds can also help to define a walk.

Leads Canadian Jerseys

THE high Jersey cow for July in Canada in all divisions is owned by Mrs. G. O. Weller, Milne's Landing, B.C. Her great cow, Colleshill Princess, produced at nine years of age 17,514 pounds of milk and 934 pounds of fat, winning a medal of merit certificate. Colleshill Princess has never been dry since she freshened as a two-year-old.

Heatherbank Alligator Bess, owned by Heatherbank Estates, Ltd., Cobble Hill, produced 8,122 pounds of milk and 479 pounds of fat.

The lawn: With the arrival of hotter weather, and the probability of less rain, it is advisable to adjust the lawn mower to give a higher cut—some authorities advise two inches.



A Page For CHILDREN



Are There Fairies in Your Garden?

By RAN Tersen

"I'm going to plant a garden here next Spring," and Carol pointed to a bit of her father's farm that had not been cultivated for many years. A tall but straggly elderberry bush stood near the centre of the proposed garden; weeds were everywhere, but Betty, who was Carol's schoolgirl chum, knew that her friend would plant the garden there if she said she would.

"Will it be a vegetable garden or will you put it all in flowers?" asked Betty, as the two little girls moved closer to the future garden plot.

Carol thought for a moment, and then said, "Well, I think I will plant the kind of a garden that might be enjoyed by the many fairy folk who live in Happy Valley. I really have not decided exactly what I will do, but first I am going to ask my father to pull out that ugly elderberry bush from—"

And that is as far as she managed to get! A small volcano seemed to erupt immediately behind her!

"What! Pull out that elder bush!" an angry voice shouted. "And you want to plant a fairy garden here!"

Before the tota had even turned, they knew it was their painter-elf friend, the bearded Tiko. They knew his fiery temper and his loud outbursts, so they weren't in the least surprised when they turned around to find the painter fellow blazing mad!

"You humans exasperate me at times," the paint-spattered elf was fairly seething. "That tree is precious to every fairy in the whole of Happy Valley! And you want your father to pull it out!"

Betty and Carol were becoming greatly concerned over the temper that Tiko was displaying. He had never been as angry as this before!

"Why, Tiko," began Carol, "I had no idea—"

"That's right! You certainly do not have any ideas about fairy gardens," blazed Tiko. "And I think it is high time that someone told you a thing or two about them!"

He put down his paint pots and his brushes and, motioning the girls to listen carefully, he began, "If you are planning a fairy garden you will need an elderberry bush or a rosemary shrub. You have not met all the fairies in Happy Valley, you know—there are some gnomes who live below the surface of the ground during the day and come to the surface only at night. Any so unfortunate as to be caught by the rising sun are turned into garter snakes unless they can get to the shade of an elderberry bush."

Betty and Carol shuddered, for they did not relish the idea of anything having to spend their time as a garter snake.

"Oh, I'll leave that tree alone," cried Carol.

And Betty asked, "What else would a fairy garden need?"

"Foxgloves, of course!" boomed Tiko, a bit impatiently. "How else could the goblins get their magic gloves? Or the fairy princesses get their vari-colored petticoats? Or the fairy school teachers get their dunce caps?"

"Dunce caps!" giggled both the girls, but Tiko silenced them with a shout.

"Bolderdash and thunderbolts! Can't you pay attention?" he cried. "Don't interrupt me with your foolish snortings! Do you or don't you want to hear about magic fairy gardens?"

Two nods from two very sober-faced tots told the elfin sprite to continue. "No garden would be complete without fairy music. For this purpose plant dainty harebells—this is the especial favorite of all fairies. If need be, stately Canterbury bells will do—but they are much too heavy for an all-night concert party."

"I'll have some of both," whispered Carol.

Tiko silenced her with a glance and went right on: "Fairy babies must have cradles, and while several flowers will serve this purpose, pink or red tulips are most liked by the fays."

It was Betty who whispered this time, "Be sure to get some tulips! I would like to find a sleeping fairy baby curled up in one of them some bright Spring morning!"

Tiko went on as though she had not spoken. "Never plant yellow tulips—these are shunned by the fairy folk for some unknown reason. Indeed, as a general rule, most yellow flowers are disliked by the little people, although yellow cowslips are their prime favorite. Yellow roses, too, are an exception, for all roses are under the protection of the fairies."

"And now, a word of warning. Never plant tulips in your magic garden—if you disregard this caution, they will charm you away for a year and a day to work at some dismal task in a far-off fairy kitchen! Also, beware of cabbage stalks—they are fairy horses. Should you stumble over one after dark, you will be compelled to ride all night at breakneck speed. This is what has really happened to you when you awoke in the morning feeling as though you had not slept all night."

"Plant plenty of pansies, get a hawthorn tree and a magic mushroom ring for our gay evening dances and the fairy garden is complete! But, I must be off! I can't waste any more time with you two—you will probably forget all that I have said in five minutes anyway!" With a pert flip of his brushes, Tiko was gone.

Betty and Carol stayed there for the longest time, just talking over all that the painter fellow had told them. They wouldn't forget one word of his talk with them and next year their fairy garden will have plenty of elfin visitors. And the magic elderberry bush will stand tall and green in the centre, to give refuge to all the underground fairies who get trapped by the rising sun.

Questions and Answers

What Do P.M. and A.M. Mean?

THESE letters are contractions for the Latin words post meridiem and ante meridiem. Meridies is Latin for noon or midday, and means half the day. Post means after, and ante means before, so that p.m. means after midday and a.m. before midday. They are made necessary by the fact that we number the twenty-four hours of the day in two twelves instead of from one to twenty-four; and so, when we give the number of any hour, we have to say whether it is p.m. or a.m. For various purposes the hours are now numbered one to twenty-four, and then p.m. and a.m. are not needed.

Is the Country Healthier Than the Town?

THIS is not wholly so, but undoubtedly the country's restfulness is better for our nerves, and its purer air is better for our lungs. It is also true that in the clearer atmosphere the sun is enabled to do its wonderful healing and tonic work unhampered. On the other hand, the town generally caters better for the healthy mind, and usually has better sanitation, an important factor. It would seem that men can only attain ideal conditions when they build themselves quiet towns in which all the houses have gardens and none have chimneys; that is, when the pure air and quiet of the countryside are combined with the communal advantages of town life.

Why Have We Eyebrows?

ONE reason for eyebrows is an ornamental one, for they enhance the beauty of our eyes. More important, however, is their function of catching and diverting the beads of perspiration which form on our foreheads when we get warm, and which, but for our eyebrows, would run down into our eyes.

How Long Does a Microbe Live?

THE answer to this is one of the most extraordinary facts in the world. A microbe, like anything else, may be killed because it is poisoned, or crushed, or made too hot, or because the water is taken out of it, or because it cannot get enough food. But when we ask this question we mean: How long do microbes live naturally? The answer is that microbes do not die. The natural end of the life of a microbe, and of other living creatures which consist, like the microbe, of only one cell, is not to die, but to divide into two pieces, each of which grows and becomes a new microbe. That is the very simple way in which the race of microbes goes on, and we cannot say that death happens at all.

Why Does a Fiddler Resin His Bow?

IT is pretty generally known that a fiddler rubs a piece of resin up and down the strings of his bow from time to time. This is to make the bow-string do its work. If the bow-string were left untouched it would simply slide smoothly up and down the fiddle strings, and little or no sound would be produced. The music of a violin is caused by the vibrations of the strings as they are played on by the bow, and these vibrations can only be produced in perfection when the bow has been sufficiently roughened by the adhering resin to grip the strings of the violin. The bow is made of horsehair, the strings of catgut.

Why Do We Speak of the Funny Bone?

THE knob or enlarged end of the bone at the elbow is known by doctors as the humerus, and from that name it commonly became known as the humorous or funny bone. The feeling which occurs when we knock our funny bone is due to a nerve which is not well protected.

How Does Ivy Cling to a Wall?

A first ivy is a plant with a brittle stem and leaves of three or five lobes. As it grows the stem becomes less brittle, and if it finds nothing to cling to it creeps along the ground, sending down tufts of fibrous roots. These roots, however, appear only when they can be actually used to the advantage of the plant. If the ivy climbs a wall its stem throws out a number of tufted fibres, by the aid of which the plant can cling. These claspers are really modified roots, and do not penetrate the wall, but merely cling to the irregularities of the surface. They are produced from all the parts of the stem nearest to the wall; but if the ivy is creeping along the ground the claspers are not produced at all, because they are not wanted. The tufts of fibrous roots which the plant throws out into the ground are produced only from those parts of the stem that are opposite the leaves.

Why is a retired carpenter like a lecturer?

Because he is an ex-planer (explainer).



This Little Yakon Girl Has Fun With Her Own Team, Composed of Her Toy Dogs, With Which She Spends Many Happy Hours.

The New Hay

THE process of treating grass to produce a new and better hay is proving exceedingly successful. It consists in cutting grass several times in the season, when about six or eight inches high, and drying it in warm air in a special machine. Thus we make hay when the sun does not shine.

The product, dried grass, is far more nutritious than the usual hay, retaining all the virtue of fresh grass. It is greatly liked by animals. In the green and pleasant land of England it should go far to solve the food problem, ever growing more urgent.

Set Flies Free

HAWAII has lately set free over a thousand fireflies. They are not intended to light up the night, but to rid the islands of African snails, which have become a serious pest. The firefly is only too pleased to be of service by eating the eggs of the snail.

No good thing is a failure, and no evil thing success.

How Aquatic Birds Keep House

By ALETHA M. BONNER

JOYCE Kilmer's famous tree that "wore a nest of robins in her hair" must have been a cherry, or perhaps a mulberry, since it is a well-known fact that the robin redbreast family prefer tree-apartments with a cafeteria on the premises!

There are many birds, however, which do not build "in the hair" of any tree, but choose rather to "set up housekeeping" on terra firma. Aquatic birds, in particular, have this ground-floor complex; and this seems odd in view of their abiding predilection for water. Yet, after all, this may be the reason—for when one is a bird and has paddled around in water all day, good earth underfoot does feel comfortable; and to have a cosy nest, within walking distance of a beach or branch or brook, is "duddy" indeed!

At least, the mallards and the canvas-back ducks seem to think so, for they build their nests on marshy ground, hidden away in a thicket of rushes and reeds. Mrs. C-B Duck really prefers a semi-floating nestbox, and builds a deep basket-like affair of sticks and reeds, anchoring it in a clump of water-grown plants; and here Master Donald and little sister Daisy can swim in the backyard to their hearts' content.

Their first cousin (and an "ugly duckling"), the shy, pied-billed, bobbed-tailed grebe, has a floating palace of grass and reeds. When baby grebes first leave the nest, it is aboard the back of their father, or mother, but they soon "take to water," as does every duck.

According to legendary lore, the halcyon birds (better known today as kingfishers) were said to build floating nests on the ocean and were thought to "possess mysterious power to calm troubled waters during the nesting season"—hence the origin of the term "halcyon days," meaning days of fair weather.

Appropos of other significant bird-terms, it is interesting to know that the petrel, which forms its nest in the sand in localities adjoining the sea, derives its name from a Bible character—Peter, the Apostle who walked on the waves, for this reason; when the birds are in pursuit of food, they extend their wings and appear to walk on the surface of the water. And in direct contrast to the fair-weather halcyons, seamen predict "poor sailing weather" when the water-walkers take to the air and circle around a ship, this is why the birds are often called "stormy petrels."

Continuing the census of ground-nesting water birds, the huge-billed brown and white pelicans should be mentioned. The former chooses a sandy setting for their nesting home, which is a substantial

Ran Tersen's Scrapbook

Random Jottings From Here and There in the World of Nature

Wrong Way Streamline

WHEN a flea flees, it departs head-first, but when it lands it always lands on its tail! Scientists who have spent a great deal of time studying these small parasites say that the wrong end landing is due to the fact that the flea is streamlined incorrectly. When a flea wants to go places, it flexes its powerful legs and hurls its heavy, compact body through the air. It tries to follow its nose, but it just isn't built that way. During the leap, the flea's heavier end prevails and twists forward. This action is somewhat similar to that of a dart—no matter how it is thrown, the heavy end always lands first.

Pity the Poor Mole!

FLEAS are parasites living on people and animals, but strangely enough the species on small moles are two or three

times larger than those sponging on other animals.

How's Your Boiling Point?

IT is no wonder that some of us "boil" at times—science has just revealed that between 60 and 70 per cent of the weight of the human body is made up of water.

Rare Element

ONE of the rarest elements in the world is polonium. It is mined in Northern Canada and is valued at \$2,000,000 an ounce.

Frigid Planet

ON some hot Summer day, it will be pleasant to think of the temperatures on the planet Neptune. This part of the solar system is so far removed from the sun that in its cold atmosphere rubber would be as brittle as chinaware, cloth could be broken, and mercury would make a good hammer.

A Necessary Poison

CHLORINE is a yellow-green gas which gained a reputation as a terrible killer during the first Great War when opposing armies released it to be carried by the wind over enemy lines. Yet we cannot live without it, for chlorine combines with metallic sodium to form common table salt.

Quick Frozen Fish

ALASKAN blackfish often spend the winter frozen solid in ice ponds in the Yukon tundra country. Emerging unharmed, they swim about gaily when the Spring thaw comes. Quick freezing of these fish is practised commercially—the frozen blackfish being used as a food for the sled dogs so essential for midwinter Alaskan travel. Caught through holes in the ice, the blackfish freeze instantly when brought to the frigid surface of the pond. Sled dogs gulp them down, only to have the fish revive from their internal warmth. So, if the Alaskan malemites start to develop fins, it will have to be blamed on the quick frozen fish they have been eating.

Riddles

What is the most peaceful letter in the alphabet? R, because it can turn a fiend into a friend.

What relation is a doormat to a door? Step-father.

What is that which you cannot hold ten minutes, although it is as light as a feather? Your breath.

What is the worst weather for rats and mice? When it rains cats and dogs.

What is that which never uses its teeth for eating purposes? A comb.

Why is Denmark like the first U in cucumber? Because it is in between two C's.

How many sides has a circle? Two, an inside and an outside.

Why is twice ten like twice eleven? Because twice ten is twenty and twice eleven is twenty-two (twenty, too).

When is a clock on the stairs a source of danger? When it is about to run down and strike one.

What fish get trodden on most? Soles and eels.

When is a flat-iron like a motor-bike? When it scorches.

What girl's name of six letters reads the same both ways? Hannah.

The Royal Siamese Cats

By MYRTLE-MAE PLUMMER

HAVE you heard the legend of how these blue-eyed Oriental beauties acquired the slight knot that all have near the end of their tails? The story goes that a queen of ancient times was taking a bath and had forgotten to remove her rings. She called the Siamese cat, slipped the rings over its tail and tied a knot in it to keep the rings from falling off. Ever since the cats have had knots in their tails.

Another story is that a Buddhist priest tied a knot in a cat's tail to remind him of something, and all the Siamese cats since that day have carried on the knot idea.

The Sacred Siamese is the most intelligent and affectionate of all cats. It can be taught like a dog to do tricks, guard your home and even walk from a leash. These animals originally came from the royal city of Bangkok, Siam, and were first possessed only by the Royal families, so they are sometimes called "Palace Cats."

The seal point Siamese has a cream-colored body of short hair, with legs, tail and ears a deep brown. The head is wedge-shaped. There are more legends told of this species of cat than about any animal that I know of. The eyes are a beautiful sapphire blue, which they are supposed to have acquired on their way through heaven. The eyes do not change as they get older, but at night they look like balls of fire. They are truly Orientals, for their eyes slant toward the nose.

There is a rare strain that has blue markings instead of the chocolate brown, but it is not common in this country.

You can recognize the cry of the Siamese from that of any other cat as it is a little weird, which becomes more so when danger is near. They seem to have intuitive powers and will warn you much the same as a dog. They will remember your friends' faces and are friendly to everyone.

The kittens are pure white at birth and you may feel disappointed, thinking they will never change. However, after a short time dark smudges will begin to show up, and soon the kittens will develop the same markings as the parents. Their hind legs are slightly longer than the front ones and they have the grace of a panther in every movement. They are great jumpers, but have a keen sense of balance.

Many of this breed are a bit squint-eyed. The reason given for this is that once a cat was set to watch over a dead king so long that his eyes got tired and he squinted.

These cats are not afraid of anything, and are excellent for catching rats. It is claimed when two are eating from the same dish, one will eat but half the food, even though he has had first chance at it. When there is a family, the kittens are allowed to eat their fill first, next comes the mother and the father takes what is left. I do not know whether it would always work out that way or not, but I do know that they are polite, seeming never to forget that they are of royal blood.

The Siamese do not like cold weather and will select a protected box for a bed whenever possible. Often you will find one lying flat on his back with his paws curled up, but with one spring he can be several feet away.

His Royal Highness always looks the cream of perfection in his fawn-colored coat, brown velvet shoes, stockings and ear-muffs. You cannot argue him into anything as he will have his way. He enjoys sitting up in an automobile and looking out of the window.

One cannot be lonesome with a Royal Siamese around, for he will reply to everything you say to him and seems to know what it is all about.

They Carry on Through Fire and Flood

A GLOWING tribute has been paid to the men and women in isolated post-offices throughout Australia who stick to their posts in peril of fire or flood.

With great pride the Postmaster-General told of the outstanding heroism of an elderly postmistress in a country post-office. Not long ago a fierce bush fire menaced the building, but the postmistress did not leave her post until the office was actually alight. Up till the last minute she kept the telephone service going, conveying alarms and advice to many settlers. She even had the presence of mind to bury all the postoffice valuables, and before she had to leave she told the nearest telephone exchange that she was going to the river, and that if she went under the keys would be found strapped to her wrist.

It is good to know that the heroine survived her terrifying ordeal.

The Postmaster-General also told of the little-known postman who makes the 160-mile journey between Horseshoe Bend and Hermannsburg Mission in South Australia on a camel. In the open stretches it is frightfully hot, and he is nearly eaten alive by insects, while in other places the cold is intense and the postman and his faithful steed, often have to swim across flooded rivers.

Why should all little children go to bed directly after tea? Because when tea (T) is taken away, night (N) is nigh.

Great Britain and the Dominions Overseas

School for Padres Toughens and Fits Ministers for War

Army Chaplain's Department Teaches Clergymen Their Privileges and Responsibilities With the Troops on Battle Front

SOMEWHERE in England (BUP).—Fifteen vicars, curates and ministers, having given up what might have been a job at \$2,000 a year, are now living in the first school for padres in the country, "Royal Army Chaplain's Department, Reception Centre and Depot," which has now been open a week.

Here they have taken on what might be a tough and dangerous job at \$4 a day.

They come here on the soft side, said the fifty-year-old principal of the college, the Rev. Stanley Astbury, M.C., "but we toughen them up and keep them busy."

He took me to the gymnasium where we watched the parsons, who are all between thirty and fifty years of age, playing netball, wearing khaki shorts and singlets.

DON UNIFORMS

The padres ran out of the gymnasium, had a shower, and donned their uniforms. They wear three "pips" on their shoulders but do not recognize themselves as captains.

After the morning's work, said the principal, "the afternoon is spent in visiting hospitals and Y.M.C.A.'s. The evening is devoted to discussions on problems which will arise on service."

"When they can, they play tennis and badminton," Mr. Astbury continued.

"Our main object is to ensure the new chaplains don't make the mistakes that some of them did in the last war."

"They went straight into the army—not really knowing what either their privileges or their responsibilities were."

Rev. G. T. H. Reid, one of the fifteen curates, said, "I am the only Presbyterian here. I used to be minister at St. Andrew's, Edinburgh. I like the life immensely, and I'm keen to be actually at work in the army."

AUSTRALIA IN FULL STRIDE

Supporting Prime Minister Menzies in His "All-In" War Policy

SYDNEY, N.S.W. (BUP).—Australia has swung unflinchingly behind Prime Minister Robert G. Menzies' "all-in" war policy.

Recruits are flooding in to all branches of the fighting forces, output of aircraft, munitions and other war supplies is steadily increasing, and the general public is supporting every new war measure.

Soon there will be three Australian divisions in the field, with supporting specialist units. Ex-servicemen of the 1914-18 war have formed, with the Government's approval, a home volunteer defence corps expected to be 100,000, comprising men over forty years, the age limit for serving abroad.

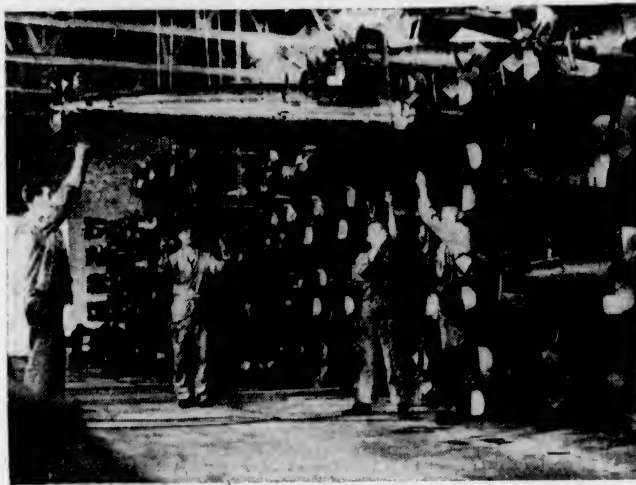
The Royal Australian Air Force is growing daily in strength, and thousands of the nation's flower of manhood are undergoing training or awaiting it. The Royal Australian Navy is performing ceaseless duties on many seas, and already has an Italian cruiser and submarine in the Mediterranean to its credit and was responsible for the interception and scuttling of the Italian liner *Romolo*.

NEW AGE GROUPS

Now the Government has taken steps to have always 250,000 in military training at any one time, including Australian Imperial Force men in camp. To reach this new number universal compulsory training has been extended to new age groups and older men have been enabled to volunteer. This step resulted in between 80,000 and 90,000 new soldiers being called to the colors. Those not intended for overseas service are being given three months' continuous training and are attending evening and weekend parades. At any time between 30,000 and 50,000 members of the A.I.F. will be available as an effective part of the home defence forces. The construction of eight new military camps for the training of the additional men is costing Australia \$8,000,000.

A great surge upwards in the production of airplanes, munitions and other war material is following reorganization of the Munitions Department. Munitions production has been greatly increased and output of shells of all types is thirteen times greater than a year ago, bomb output twenty times greater, cartridge cases five times greater, fuses and primers for shells seven times greater, and small arms ammunition four times greater. By the end of the year, all this

Britain Has Good Stock of Torpedoes



British Workmen Store Torpedoes After Testing Them at an Admiralty Factory "Somewhere in England." This Is Typical of the Tremendous Activity in the Mother Country as She Prepares for Any Eventualities in the Present Conflict With Germany.

NOT AFRAID OF MERE NUMBERS

Three Lightly-Armed Planes Of R.A.F. Tackle Much Larger Force

LONDON (BUP).—Three lightly-armed Avro Ansons of the R.A.F. Coastal Command, scouting on the Belgian Coast, deliberately forced a fight with nine Me fighters of the newest type to prevent the Nazis from attacking a troop transport. When the nine Me's were sighted they were about to dive in line astern on the vessel.

The leader of the Anson flight, overwhelmingly outnumbered and outgunned, decided at once to attempt to divert the enemy fighters. He succeeded in his purpose. The nine Me's changed formation and swept down, three at each Anson.

One Anson was shot down near the ship, but not before it had riddled the three attackers with machine gun bullets. Its crew were saved later by a drifter.

The second Anson was heavily damaged in repeated attacks. Great numbers of bullets and small cannon shells pierced its wings. The all-round controls became slack and useless. The gunner was severely wounded in the leg and his gun jammed. He corrected the fault and destroyed the leading Messerschmitt. Its companions made two more attacks, but under stiff punishment from the Ansons their fire became wild.

This Anson was by now in very bad condition. Both engines had been hit and both wings were flapping. It was difficult to maintain course and level flight. So the pilot landed on the sea near a destroyer, which rescued him and his crew. The wounded gunner's ankle was broken when the aircraft struck the water.

The third Anson put numerous bursts of fire into one Me, which disappeared towards the sea on its back, with dense smoke pouring from it. The remaining Me's broke off the action.

All three Anson pilots, their navigators and the other wounded members of their crew, were on duty again at their station a few hours later.

Average Citizen Has Few Opportunities to Observe London Guns

Hundreds Are in and Around the Metropolis—Soldiers Are Not Much More in Evidence—Londoner Seldom Shows Any Fear

LONDON (BUP).—"They" say that there are no less than 250 factory running in a train or a tavern would volunteer his views quite freely and would support them by all sorts of corroborative detail derived from a friend in the War Office," today he reads in his newspaper the story of a prosecution of a "Mr. Smith" for spreading rumors and he remains mute.

It is curious how little this gradually but surely approaching war at home is discussed in public by the public today compared with their habit of even a few months ago. At that time a chance acquaintance in a train or a tavern would volunteer his views quite freely and would support them by all sorts of corroborative detail derived from a friend in the War Office," today he reads in his newspaper the story of a prosecution of a "Mr. Smith" for spreading rumors and he remains mute.

Even the apparently sane man who by some abuse mathematical calculations based on the measurements of the Great Pyramid know precisely the day and hour of the end of the war (and there is a surprising number of these people)—even he has closed down.

Meanwhile, whatever the outward demeanour of the people, it is apparent that the country is keyed up and ready and prepared to resist invasion even if it has to fight with its teeth.

And it may be that while we await the Hun and his horrors we remind ourselves with some satisfaction of the remark of a German general who once said that while he had several plans for getting an army into England he could not think of one for getting it out again.

SPORT IS BIG HELP IN THE WAR EFFORT

LONDON (BUP).—Sport and sportsmen here are playing a part in helping to swell the coffers of the Red Cross Fund Area of Greater London.

In a list of contributors to this most worthy cause almost thirty sports were mentioned. Between them, up to June 24, they had subscribed \$350,000—a magnificent amount considering the quietening down on the sport front owing to the war situation.

Surprisingly, golf has been the biggest money-getter, but not so surprising when men like Henry Cotton, a great golfer, make such magnificent efforts. Auctions and raffles and what not have also been staged by members of the sporting fraternity, who certainly are living up to their name.

DETACHED INTEREST

Nevertheless it is rare for him to express more than a sort of detached interest and, if he speculates on the immediate future at all, he seldom goes beyond saying with a shrug of the shoulders, "Well, I expect they'll come to see us in London one night soon," he seems not to have it in mind that he personally may be bombed though of course it may be a nuisance to his neighbors. He will seldom admit any sort of fear nor does he appear to feel any. How the psychologists explain that attitude of mind, I don't know, but a remark made to me the other night by a retired army captain, who frankly admits that he is frightened, may throw some light on it.

He said, "I am scared because I know that lot are not scared because they don't know."

CHILDREN HAVE STRANGE PETS

A most unusual photograph of two Regina children, Nancy Stephens and Philip Goodale, who have two baby crows. They carry the young birds around on the branch of a tree, and the crows seem to enjoy the free ride.

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BAGGED ONE OVER COUNT

Clouds Play Tricks on Air-men—Not so Good For Enemy

LONDON (BUP).—Clouds played a trick on five Fighter Command pilots in the far north of Scotland.

They all flew home from a fight thinking they had shot down one Dornier. When they compared notes on landing, however, they found that they had really destroyed two Dorniers.

The five pilots were patrolling the skies over the coast in two sections when they sighted a Nazi raider. Both sections gave chase. Some way out to sea, the raider, a "Flying Pencil" aircraft, sought safety in a cloud.

The fighters followed him. As they flew through the cloud the two fighter sections were separated. One section, coming out of the cloud, found themselves within the range of the enemy. The German rear gunner fired first, and the Fighter pilots, in their Hurricanes, replied.

After short running fight in and out of the cloud the Dornier dived steeply towards the sea, one member of its crew taking to his parachute.

RIPLING FLAMES

The raider struck the water obliquely. There was an explosion and flames leapt 100 to 150 feet into the air. For some time afterwards rippling flames were seen over a wide surface of petrol-covered sea.

Meanwhile a sergeant-pilot of the second fighter section had followed out of the clouds and fired at what he believed to be the original Dornier.

Fearing that they might lose the enemy in the cloud, the sergeant-pilot's section-leader had already flown further out to sea in readiness. He now, in turn, attacked this second raider, and saw it dive vertically in flames. Three of the crew jumped by parachute.

When they returned to their base the five British pilots realized from their stories that they had attacked and brought down two raiders. To make quite certain one of them flew out to sea again, and saw two separate patches of oil where the Dorniers had dived into the sea.

BARE LEGS TO HELP WIN WAR

CHAPEL-EN-LE-FRITH, Derbyshire (BUP).—A deputation of 250 factory girls from a factory in Chapel-en-le-Frith, Derbyshire, has persuaded the management to lift its years-old ban on stockings.

They want to put \$5,000 a year into national savings—by going barelegged.

When they were asked to start a savings group, twenty-six-year-old Gladys Thompson called the girls together and put up the no-stockings plan.

Malden, Surrey, one of London's growing dormitories, is calling itself No. 1 Savings Group Area of Greater London.

Voluntary organizers have enrolled 3,000 street group members and 4,000 office group members.

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LONDON (BUP).—Shortly after the outbreak of war in September of last year scores of thousands of London's children, accompanied in many cases by their parents and in every case by teachers, were sent out of the city to places which were then regarded as safer than London would be should the then expected air attacks eventuate.

The work of evacuating these children was a triumph of organization both on the part of the London County Council as the authorities and their staffs, and of the railways. It was carried out almost without a hitch, that is to say, the mechanical part of it was. Great numbers of children left London but still greater numbers stayed behind.

There were fears in the meantime, the files were the parents and the parents fell under three heads: those whose affection for their children was controlled by their common sense; those whose common sense was over-ridden by their affection and those who did nothing, and if they thought of anything at all, merely said, "What will be, will be," and left the matter to fate.

EMPTY STREETS

For months, London's streets were markedly empty of children. But the skies, too, were empty of raiders and so, gradually the evacuation began to crumble.

Parents began to believe that it had all been a false alarm. Children began to trickle back home, the trickle became a stream, and soon the evacuation scheme on which so much time, labor and money had been expended was, for the time at least, little more than a dead thing. Thousands, it is true, remained in the country but many more thousands returned home, a large proportion unfortunately, to mean homes and mean streets. Then followed a time, when the schools having been closed, children ran wild, untaught and undisciplined, the juvenile courts found their work increasing daily as Satan assiduously found mischief for idle little hands to do.

For a time things remained more or less at a standstill, but slowly the schools reopened and a semblance of the old order of things re-established.

All the time, however, the authorities, from the Prime Minister downwards, day in and day out, implored parents for heaven's sake to permit their children to return to the country. They begged them to intimate their intention to let their children go so that a new evacuation scheme might be prepared based on the numbers ready and willing to evacuate.

PARENTS UNCONVINCED

In spite of all persuasion the parents, the majority that is, remained unconvinced of the necessity for any immediate action.

But the days of the past few weeks on the Continent have compelled the authorities to be more and more insistent. Seeing ever more clearly the shape of things to come they have begun a new exodus and today London's children, though only about one in five of possible evacuees—have left London. They have gone to various parts of the country, except the Eastern counties; for instance, 39,000 have gone to Devon, 27,000 to Cornwall, 18,000 to Somerset. Seventeen special trains left Paddington Station (London) and sixteen left Waterloo (London) in one day recently bearing 20,000 loudly cheering and wildly excited children away to Devon, "the shire of the sea kings," and to the "delectable

BELGIAN SENDS NOBLE LETTER

Young Patriot Bids a "Little Place" in Royal Air Force

LONDON (BUP).—The following gallant and stirring letter has been received by the Air Ministry in London from a young Belgian soldier. Translated, but otherwise unaltered (except that the name and place of birth have been omitted), the letter is given in full. The date is just prior to King Leopold's surrender.

"As we have been for eight days now united in this war, allow me to ask of you a little place in the Royal Air Force.

"I am nineteen, and was born on the frontier between France and Belgium at —, near Givet. My father sent me to college at Dinant and afterwards to Namur. In the hope that I would follow his profession, but the one thing which preoccupied me was to become an aviator.

"Three months ago I entered a Belgian motorized regiment. My instruction finished, I was on the point of asking for a transfer to the Belgian Air Force in answer to an appeal for eighty pilots for the reserve, when the war broke out.

"Now, I am somewhere in France, and I must not tell you where. We are too young to fight for you, say the officers. If you only knew what pain it causes me not to be at the front, close to my brothers who are fighting! I have my family to defend, and all my cousins who were shot at Dinant in 1914.

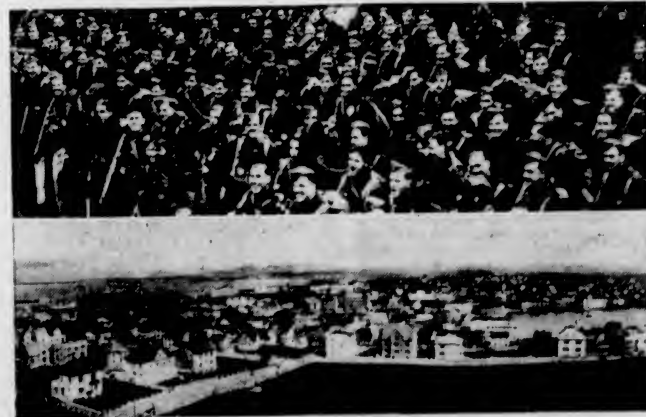
"I hope, sir, that you will accord me this small favor: if the R.A.F. takes Belgians, you will remember me. I am able to submit all the necessary proofs.

"If you will engage me you will dispose of my life how you will. I have but one thing to do: avenge my country.

"Vivent les Allies!

"In awaiting your reply, accept, monsieur, my best thanks.

"Pardon me that I have written in pencil, but time and circumstance prevent me from using a pen."



CANADIAN TROOPS GUARD ICELAND

The news of the arrival in Iceland of Canadian troops came as a surprise to the Canadian people, but it was news which gave a good deal of satisfaction. The downfall of Denmark turned the peaceful land of Iceland into a veritable menace to the safety of the Dominion. It is only right that Canadian troops shall protect Iceland against any Nazi aggression. Above are pictures of the capital of Iceland, and a contingent of Canadian troops ready for overseas duty.